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BIGLER'S HANGING DAY

Governor Sets July 25 for Time of His Execution.

MANY WANT TO WITNESS IT.

Rev. E. W. DeWitt of Athens Has Been Giving Religious Consolation to Bigler in the Latter's Cell at the Bradford County Jail.

Governor Pennypacker has set the day for the execution of Bigler Johnson. On July 25 the man who pleaded guilty to the murder of his wife, Maggie B. Benjamin, at her home at Macedonia on the night of Sunday, Sept. 18, 1904, will pay the penalty for his crime in the jail yard on the east side of the jail at this place.

Already many requests have been received for passes to the hanging. Bigler has recently been visited by Rev. E. W. DeWitt of Athens and it is expected that this minister will accompany him to the gallows.

The motion made by Lilley & Wilson for a new trial for Charley Johnder for the killing of Mag Benjamin, is not yet disposed of. It is understood that the attorneys in the case asked for time to file additional briefs and that this is the reason why no decision has been made by the court in Charley's case.

The execution of Bigler Johnson will be the first hanging in Bradford county since July 1, 1875, when Albert Brown, colored, was hanged for the murder of Cora Greenleaf, a young girl of Canton township. There was an immense crowd in Towanda at that time.

Bigler Knows His Day.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union of Frenchtown and Hollon Hill held services in the Bradford county jail Friday afternoon and after they were completed flowers were distributed to the inmates and those who were in the party visited the prisoners and talked with them.

Bigler Johnson was one of the prisoners who was most highly sought out and he talked freely with every one who came to see him. Bigler has a good natured face and is the exact opposite of Charley Johnson, who would not come to his cell window and take the flowers that were offered him.

Bigler told a reporter that he knew when his day was. "It's pretty hard to go that way, ain't it; I hope it won't take long to do it," he said. He said his lawyers had been there but that he didn't know if they could do anything more for him. Rev. E. W. DeWitt has been in to see Bigler and the man who is under sentence of death with a day set for his execution showed a reporter a "book" as he called it, that the minister had given him.

It was a copy of the Bible and was marked at the fifty-first Psalm. Bigler said that the minister had told him to read it. "I can't read much," said Bigler, "but I can make out most of the words." The passage which has been marked is in part as follows:

Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness; according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions.

Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my transgressions; and my sin is ever before me.

Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me.

Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, thou God of my salvation; and my tongue shall sing aloud of thy righteousness.

The W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The exercises of the members of the W. C. T. U. were listened to with interest by the prisoners. After singing which was led by Rev. D. J. Ebert and accompanied on the violin by Mrs. C. D. Dimock, Mrs. G. A. Frutchey read a paper on the work of the Flower Mission department of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Thomas Stoneman read the twenty-third Psalm and Mrs. W. Dimock delivered a fervent prayer.

This was followed by a violin solo, Lange's Flower Song, by Mrs. Dimock accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Fenton Weller of Athens. Rev. Ebert sang "The Holy City" and gave a talk to the prisoners. He urged that they live better lives when they were released at the expiration of their sentence and he asked that those who had come to visit them might be more active in good in their own living. The members of the W. C. T. U. accompanied by several little girls then distributed flowers and literature to the prisoners and after they had talked with those confined in the jail Rev. Ebert offered a prayer.

To a reporter who was talking to Bigler during the visit of the temperance women he said: "Drink is a bad thing." The man who, unless something to intervenes to postpone his death, will go to the gallows on July 25, liked the flowers and kept them by his side. The bible he had in one hand and had been looking at the place where the minister had marked it. He said that Mr. DeWitt was a fine man and he repeated some things that the divine had told him.

Many visitors have been in to see Bigler in the last few days, but as the death warrant came from Harrisburg Friday afternoon the death watch will soon be put over him. The notice from the governor directs that Bigler Johnson shall be executed between the hours of 10 a. m., and 3 p. m., on July 25, in accordance with the sentence of the court of this county.

OLD PEOPLE'S MEETING.

Second Annual Gathering in Towanda Next Week Saturday.

The second annual old people's meeting under the auspices of the Bradford county Historical society, will be held in Towanda, Saturday, June 24. The following are some of the features: Music, address of welcome, introducing old people, old time singer and his song, exercise on flax wheel, dance by lady octogenarian, an original poem, knitting exercise, lessons by an old time teacher, awarding loving cup to oldest lady present, awarding gold headed cane to oldest gentleman present. The following representatives will appear: The American Indian, lady and gentleman of Colonial times, the original backwoodsman, lady and gentleman of 70 years ago.

Informal meeting at the Historical rooms at 11 o'clock; exercises at the court house, commenceing at 1:30. An old time visit will be had and refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the program.

All ladies of 80 or over who can knit are requested to bring their knitting work: also all aged persons who expect to be present are requested to communicate that fact to the secretary before the day of meeting. An especial invitation is extended to the old people of the county and a general welcome to the public. E. J.. Ayres, president, C. F. Heverly, secretary.

BARRON GROCERY SOLD.

John W. Conklin is the New Proprietor—A New Line Carried.

R. E. Barron on Saturday completed the sale of his cash grocery in the Argus building to John W. Conklin of Towanda, and Mr. Conklin Monday took possession. The new owner came to Towanda last Spring from Lake Wesauking, but he is not a stranger to Towanda business men. He will continue to carry a full line of staple and fancy groceries, bread and bake stuffs, and in addition will handle baled hay, straw and oats.

Mr. Barron established the business about 18 months ago and in that brief time has built up a prosperous trade. He has not determined yet upon his future course, but has several openings in view.

Overpeck Reunion.

The decendants of Adam Overpeck will hold their third annual reunion in the M. E. church, Herrickville, Pa., on Thursday, June 29, 1905. The committees for the different tables are requested to bring their own dishes for each table. Anything in the way of entertainment will be greatly appreciated. Please hand the title of your selection to the president or secretary. Come and bring your friends. Warren Fork, president; M. E. Overpeck, secretary.

More Stories Coming.

On Saturday another of the great Sherlock Holmes mystery stories was given complete in The Daily Review. Next Saturday will be printed the fourth in this remarkable series, "The Adventure of the Solitary Cyclist." A three months' subscription to The Review will secure the balance of these stories and likewise the best local daily newspaper in this section.

Corser—Laverty.

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Fannie Gildersleeve Laverty to Dr. John Bliss Corser. The wedding occurred on Thursday, June 8, at Scranton. Dr. Corser is a former Towanda young man who has a host of friends who will extend congratulations. He has made a notable success of the practice of medicine in Scranton.

Silk Mill Progress.

Work on the Towanda Silk mill is being hurried these days. The boiler is set and nearly all bricked in, the smokestack is raised, and the engine is here ready to be placed in position. The roofing of the main building is nearly completed, and Manager Hartman states he will begin setting machinery in about ten days.

Injured Rapidly Recovering.

A message from the Parker hospital Tuesday morning stated that the condition of Mrs. Foyle and Fred Place, who were injured in Saturday's wreck on the S. & N. Y. railroad, was rapidly improving. Mr. Place is sitting up.

Honored Aged Doctor.

A banquet in honor of Dr. William L. Richardson of Montrose was held on June 7. Dr. Richardson is 90 years of age. A beautiful loving cup was given the doctor.

GRADE SCHOOLS CLOSE

Exercises Held on Tuesday in Hale's Opera House.

NEW DEPARTURE IN TOWANDA.

Interesting Exercises Marked Closing of the School Year in the Various Grades—Opera House Crowded to Its Limit—Some Honor Puyils.

Hale's Opera House was packed Tuesday afternoon on the occasion of the first closing exercises for all the grades in the Towanda public schools. When the curtain went up it disclosed tier upon tier of boys and girls until the last row was nearly to the top of the scenery. The audience burst into applause at the sight. Principal J. H. Humphries requested that no encores be asked for as the program would tire out the pupils if it was extended beyond the time of the numbers as first given.

Rev. Edwin A. Gernant delivered the invocation and the exercises followed. It would be doing an injustice to single out any certain few of the excellent numbers given. Fine drills, songs, recitations, violin solos, etc., composed the program and the audience remained to the last number. The program was as follows:

Song by the school, "Ho, Ho, Vacation Days Are Here;" recitation, John Heverly, Lee Bodie; motion song, "Daisies and Miss Thistledown;" recitation, Louise Finney; garland drill; recitation, Pauline Kinsley, Chester Pierce; "Flags of Our Nation," by 16 girls; piano duet, Alice Meredith, Anna Ellenberger; recitation, Charlotte Ayers.

Recitation, Willie Ball; violin solo, Frederica Schmauch; song, "Daisies and buttercups;" recitation, Cecil Hawley; vocal solo, Pomeroy Blair; dialogue, Robert Head, Norman Mc Kean; piano solo, Dora Malcolm; rose drill; recitation, Elinor Smith; song, Esther Humphrey, Maude Bishop, Margaret McCraney; flag drill; recitation, Musa Lyke; violin solo, Anne Dean; song, "Farmers Boys and Girls;" recitation, Henry Winter; song with violin accompaniment, "By-Lo-Land;" dairy maids' drill. The music by the High school orchestra and the various accompanists was much appreciated.

Principal J. H. Humphries spoke briefly at the close of the exercises and was received with enthusiasm. He thanked the pupils and the teachers for their painstaking work in preparing these exercises and he commended the parents, the pupils and the teachers for their support through this, his first year in Towanda. Mr. Humphries said that the strain of the life of today makes such a demand for what is best in education that the pupils in their deportment, their regularity of attendance and their scholarship must attain just as far as possible toward the standard of excellent. He urged better work during the coming year and that parents shall not be indifferent to low rank in any of the departments he mentioned.

Mr. Humphries read a list of scholars who were worthy of especial mention for work done during the past year. Four students had been marked as excellent in conduct and perfect in attendance. They were Edna Winter, Agnes E. Cummings, Helen Wickham and Georgia Sible, all of the Third ward.

Those excellent in conduct and all studies were: Beatrice Shaylor, Marguerite Buttles, Mary Johnson, Raymond Lenox, Flossie Thurston, Theodore VanHorn, Margaret Mills, Louise Finney, Florence Baumgartner, May Rogers, Nellie C. Hoffman and Ruth Spalding.

Four were excellent in all studies, and perfect in attendance. They were: Hattie Burk, Cynthia Osborn, Willie Winter and Howard Burgess, all of the Third ward.

Those who were excellent in all studies, who were not previously mentioned, were Robert Malz, Margaret Chilson, Clara Loewus, Blanche Curran, Dana Fenton, Esther Humphrey, Silvia Marks, Harold Beck, Jessie Marks, Guy Heermans, Raymond Coleman, Earl Shrader, Harold Winter, Beatrice Martin, Hartley Prince, Stanley Brink and Ellen Pratt. Lists of those excellent in conduct and those perfect in attendence and not previously mentioned will be published later.

Flag Anniversary.

A circular has been issued by the American Flag association, calling attention to the fact that Wednesday, June 14, will be the one hundred and twenty-eighth anniversary of the adoption of the stars and stripes as the flag of the United States. They urge that this day be made a national holiday and a national anniversary to the American flag. School teachers and officials are requested to have the day observed in the schools by appropriate exercises. All American citizens are earnestly invited to join in the public recognition of the birthday of the emblem of our nationality.

ALLEGED POSTOFFICE BURGLAR IN BRADFORD COUNTY JAIL.

Edward King Accused of Trying to Rob Camptown Office.

A party of four or five men were discovered at about 2 oo'clock Wednesday morning in the postffice at Camptown by two young men, Leon Smith and Thomas Fleming, both of Camptown. The burglars evidently heard their discoverers for while the young men were getting help the men in the postoffice made their escape. One of the men lost his hat and this may lead to the conviction of at least one party.

A man of rough appearance was seen near Rummerfield next day and as he was without a hat the circumstance led to suspicion that he may have been implicated in the burglary. He procured a cap from a man named Clarence Forker near Rummerfield and later boarded a freight train. Word was sent to Sayre to be on the lookout for him and he was arrested there by Officer DeGroff.

The suspect gave the name of Edward King and said that he was born in this country and was of Italian parentage. He was brought here that evening by Officer Hollon and is in jail under a ten days' sentence for illegal train riding.King claims he was not at Camptown on Tuesday night and says that he lost his hat in jumping off a fast moving train. He became mixed up in accounting for his whereabouts on Tuesday. On his person was found a book of poems and a deck of playing cards. King claims he can prove his innocence in court. He talks intelligently although he is evidently of the hobo type and used to riding on freights.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Athens Hunter Almost Caught by a Train on Railroad Bridge.

Fred Birney of Athens, had a hairbreadth escape from serious injury if not instant death on Monday evening of last week. He had been hunting and was returning home by the way of the Lehigh Valley railroad bridge about 8 o'clock. Instead of taking the eastbound track he crossed on the westbound and was about half way over when passenger train No. 127 came in sight. He started on a run but the train was rapidly chasing him down.

They whistled and he continued to run, but the distance yet to be covered was too great and there was but one thing to do and he must act quickly or be tossed from the bridge and run the chances of being seriously injured or killed as the train could not be stopped. Realizing this he dropped his gun and jumped from the track and caught an eye-bar and swung himself out of danger as the train swept by. Eyewitnesses expected to see the train grind him to pieces before he could escape.

CAMERON TO PRESIDE.

Tioga County Judge to Sit on This County's Bench.

It was the intention to have two courts here this week, one to be presided over by Judge Fanning and the other by Judge Cameron of Tioga county. But the fact that Hon. L. T. Hoyt, who was interested in some of the cases, has to go to Potter county this week to prosecute he cases of alleged misdemeanor in office of officials there necessitated the postponement of all the suits with the exception of that of James Dalton vs. Wyalusing borough for damages.

All the jurors except those drawn on this case were discharged yesterday afternoon. Judge Cameron will go on the bench in the Dalton suit this morning.

Local News in Brief.

Newton R. Cass of North Orwell, is a member of the class of '05 of Kingston seminary. Tuesday's Philadelphia Press contained his picture among a group of honor students.

William McKinley, a one-armed resident of Binghamton, 50 years old, was struck and instantly killed by a west bound passenger train on the Erie, nine miles east of that city, at 5 o'clock Sunday morning.

The large frame dwelling house on the farm of W. H. VanSickle, about two miles west of Milan, was entirely destroyed by fire last week Tuesday together with the contents. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

An Unlucky Tumble.

Manager Loomis of the Bradford County Telephone company met with a painful mishap Friday morning. A misstep caused him to fall headlong down the stair leading to the exchange at Wyalusing and in consequence he sustained a couple of broken fingers on the left hand and a sprained right wrist.

Entitled to a Medal.

Morgan McMahon, the shoe man at the corner of Main and Washington streets, has won a medal. Tuesday morning he had 18 rats in a trap caught in one haul the night before, and not one got away.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

About 5,000 Votes Cast at the Primaries Saturday.

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES.

John W. Codding for Sheriff and Charles P. Dewey for Register and Recorder Poll Big Pluralities—The Ticket Nominated.

The Republican primaries for the nomination of candidates for county officers were held throughout the county on Saturday afternoon and evening. About five thousand votes were cast which is about the same as three years ago. The men who were nominated had pluralities extending from 400 up to 1,500. The returns indicate the nomination of the following ticket at the convention today.

Sheriff—John W. Codding of Towanda township.

Prothonotary—Frank Pike of Sayre.

Register and Recorder—Charles P. Dewey of South Creek.

County Treasurer—W. F. Waters of Athens.

Commissioners—Edson D. Harkness of Springfield and L. H. Marsh of Wyalusing.

Auditors—Alden Keyes of Sylvania and Wilber Gorham of Orwell.

CORSER—LAVERTY.

Former Towanda Young Man Married at Scranton.

"The marriage of Miss Fannie Gildersleeve Laverty to Dr. John B. Corser, although attended only by relatives, interested a large number of Scranton people Thursday who hold both bride and bridegroom in high regard.

"The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Helen P. Laverty at 427 Washington avenue. The stately old house, which was one of the first to be built in this city, and was where Mrs. Laverty spent much of her girlhood, was appropriately decorated with masses of mountain laural whose pink blooms and sweetness pervaded the rooms. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. S. C. Logan, a lifelong friend of the family.

"The bride wore a lovely gown of white crepe de chine over white taffeta, with bodice decoration of duchesse lace. Remarked for her beauty since her appearance in society, she was surprisingly lovely in her bridal robes. The gifts which she received were splendid in their costly profusion."—Scranton Republican.

Dr. Corser is a former Towanda young man whose legion of friends will extend congratulations and best wishes.

Judge Cameron Here.

Judge Cameron of Tioga county is presiding here on the suit of James Dalton vs. Towanda borough. Judge Cameron was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Niles and has since been nominated by the Republicans and endorsed by the Democrates of Tioga county for election this fall. Mr. Cameron rose from the ranks of a miner, through that of school teacher and principal to that of an attorney and judge.

Resolutions of Respect.

The Epworth League of the North Towanda M. E. church has adopted resolutions of respect on the death of Fountain Wheeler, a member of the league, and ordered the charter to be draped in mourning for a period of 30 days.

We Feel Sorry

for a man who in these piping times of progress insists that the only clothes he can wear he must stand up and be chalked for. Such thinkers live in a past tense.

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have made them ridiculous. We can prove it

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POSTMASTER WEAVER OF SAYRE ASKED TO RESIGN.

Has Been Physically Incapacitated for Several Months Past.

James N. Weaver, who for the past several years has been postmaster in the Sayre office, has been asked to resign. The Sayre Times says that recently Mr. Weaver became almost physically incapaciated and for three months or more it is said that he has been unable to attend the duties of the office. When this fact became known at Washington it is said that steps were taken looking to Mr. Weaver's removal.

Accordingly Monday night M. E. Lilley, of Towanda, representative in Congress from this congressional district, called at Mr. Weaver's residence and informed Mrs. Weaver that he had received instructions from the postoffice department to wait upon Mr. Weaver and inform him that his resignation was desired.

J. Henry Price, the present deputy postmaster, and E. J. Connelley, Sayre's well known political leader, have both circulated petitions and will ask to be appointed to fill the vacancy..

PARKE FAMILY REUNION.

First of the Annual Gatherings of the Season Held at East Troy.

It was with fear of a rainy day that the members of the Parke family gathered on Thursday, June 8, at the home of C. E. Parke at East Troy for their eighth annual reunion, but the day proved to be very pleasant, though quite cool. The tables were spread on the porch and were loaded with good things too numerous to mention, of which 42 partook. After dinner the following programme was given: Instrumental music; song, "Seeking His Own;" prayer by Rev. Loller; music, "Lead Kindly Light!" recitation, Why Bessie Didn't Laugh, Rachel Loller; recitation, "'Twas in its Proper Place," Charles Loomis; instrumental music; recitation, "Mamma's Little Helper," Mary Loller; solo, "The Stranger's Story," Mrs. A. W. Parke; recitations, "The Book Canvasser," and "Jenkins Goes to a Picnic," Jennie Parke; music, "The Ninety and Nine," phonograph; recitations "What hath the angel written," and "Aunt Jemima's Courtship," Mrs. Loller.

The secretary reported that there had been two deaths, one birth and one marriage in the family in the last year.

The following officers were re-elected: President, Mrs. A. W. Parke; vice president, Geo. VanHorn; secretary, Mrs. H. W. Field; committee on entertainment, A. W. Parke, Mrs. A. T. Parke, Mrs. S. L. Johnson.

The invitation was given and accepted to meet with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Johnson on the third Saturday in August, 1906. After singing "God be With You Till We Meet Again," the remainder of the day was spent in visiting and listening to selections by the phonograph, after which the company departed for home, all voting it to be one of the most pleasant of the Parke reunions.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Towns Hereabouts.

LARGE CLASS IN SAYRE SCHOOL

Twenty-two Pupils Graduated From the High School at That Place—Man Had Foot Crushed in Sayre Yards—Big Order for Steel Cars.

There are 22 members in the graduating class of the Sayre High school.

There are 12 members in the graduating class of the Athens High school.

John Michell will address a mass meeting of mine workers in Plymouth on Wednesday, June 14.

Henry Wood, a Troy dealer in agricultural implements, has filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy.

Go-hon-to tribe of Red Men at Wyalusing, are to have an old fashioned Fourth of July celebration.

Byron Graham of Athens had a foot crushed while coupling cars at the Sayre yards on Friday evening.

Charles Lincoln Shattuck, a well known Elmira man, died at his home here Sunday morning, aged 55 years.

Mrs. Eva Ausback of Laquin was operated on at the Robert Packer hospital of Sayre on Wednesday of last week.

Four houses were burned to the ground and two houses and a barn were damaged in a fire at Wilkesbarre Saturday afternoon.

Edward Updyke, aged 60 years of Elmira, was fatally injured on Wednesday morning of last week by being struck by an Erie train.

The Movanho club at Sayre has been reorganized with Frank Wass president. The club is believed to be on a solid financial basis.

The New York Central Railroad company has ordered 150 all steel cars from the Berwick shops of the American Car & Foundry Company.

The Columbia county assessment shows an increase in wealth of half a million dollars over that of 1904. It is now estimated at $14,000,000.

Another case of cerebro-spinal meningitis was discovered in Plymouth last week, the victim being Joseph Musial, aged 24 years, who is in a serious condition.

The Wilbur Hook & Ladder company of Sayre has practically decided that the team purchased and kept for the purpose of pulling the company's truck to fires, could no longer be supported.

Mrs. Emily Dodge died at her home at Athens on Wednesday of last week aged 70 years. Relatives heard her fall and when they reached her she was dead. Death was due to heart failure.

D. T. EVANS

White Goods for Summer

Complete Showing of New Goods Suitable for Graduation Gowns and Party Dresses.

The assortment includes Indelinons, extra wide Persian Lawns, very sheer French Lawns, Organdies, Paris Muslins, which are organdies without the dressing, plain and embroidered Swisses, fine Batistes and Wash Habutai Silks.

Trimmings

The finest line of Embroideries we have ever shown—some exceptional choice numbers in sets

All kinds of LACES including a good selection of the new net top laces in pompadour effects.

D. T. EVANS

The clover cutting and the corn plowing almost always clash, both needing attention at the same time.

The government takes good care of the farmer in the matter of garden seeds and rural mail delivery.

Some of the corn growers who trust to luck and the Lord for good seed corn will get half a stand, as usual, this year.

The general use of the corn harvester in many sections has made the growing of pumpkins among the corn an impossibility.

A gopher allowed to work unmolested in a cornfield can easily cut the crop short five bushels. It pays to give a boy 10 cents to catch him.

Cannas, salvias, geraniums and asters will give more brilliant color to the garden than any other four flowers and are withal easy to raise.

If the farms of the country could speak and tell their wants it would be found that they would nearly all want just one thing—more clover.

People may differ very materially about politics and religion, but they are almost a unit in favor of having better roads if they can be obtained.

We know of two farmers living in one neighborhood who have bought automobiles. They are abundantly able to own them and are getting lots of pleasure out of the machines.

Early cut barley and oat fields may easily be used for a second or catch crop, such as sowed corn, millet and cowpeas, and it is better to use the land in this way than to let it grow up to weeds.

It is best to let every small boy go swimming. He runs no greater risk of getting drowned while learning how to swim than he does of getting drowned later in life because he does not know how to swim.

A writer for an agricultural paper advises that nervous heifers when being broken to milk should be gently scratched on their fore legs. This is manifestly more appropriate and safer than to scratch their hind legs.

The traction engine is coming more and more into use on the large farms as a motive power for plowing. Some very remarkable and effective work is being done by these engines on the big small grain farms of the northwest.

An importation of seed wheat from Russia was made by the agricultural department of Kansas some years ago, with the most beneficial results, and now arrangements are being perfected to secure another shipment from the same source.

It is stated by an authority on electrical science that lightning will never strike a steel windmill tower, a building covered with a metal roof or a street car or railway car on the track. We are inclined to doubt the truth of this statement.

If the surface of the dirt road is kept smooth so that there are no ruts and depressions there will be no place for the water to stand when it rains and mud holes cannot be formed. This is the fundamental idea in the new plan of working such roads.

Just as soon as the farmers get the dirt roads along their farms in good shape by the new method they will then take more pride in keeping the weeds cut by the side of the highway. When a woman gets a new spring dress she almost always wants a new parasol to match it.

It is claimed that inside of ten years the United States will be able to secure all the india rubber and gutta percha it needs from the Philippine Islands, where there are 400,000,000 acres of timber lands. The country is likely to secure some other things which it does not want from the same source.

There is not much use to try to maintain a good country road either winter or summer when there is a row of willow trees on either side of it. Such a road is blocked with snowdrifts in winter and is an impassable mudhole in summer. The sooner the willow is removed from all our highways the better.

The annual rent which many a man is paying for the use of a farm in the north central states will make the first one-fourth payment on a farm of far more productive soil in many of the newer sections of the country. Any man who is paying $4 or $5 an acre for the rent of a farm should look this matter up.

The dairy business and the poultry business will neither of them be ever overdone in this country. No other farm products maintain so uniform and profitable a price as do these two things; hence it is absolutely safe for any man owning a farm to devote his time largely to these two branches of farm work.

The application of muriate of potash to peaty soils seems to solve the problem of making such soils productive.

Strange as it may seem, there is one fluid which runs uphill just as easily as it does downhill, and that is electricity.

In many towns the number of cases of eggs exported corresponds very closely to the number of kegs of beer imported.

The law of business, and it is pretty hard to change it, is that men will buy in the cheapest and sell in the dearest market.

The factors essential to a good crop we should rate as good seed, 50 per cent; good soil, 30 per cent, and culture, 20 per cent.

Very few men can borrow tools and do exactly the square thing in the matter of returning them in just as good shape as when they got them.

The appearance of sorrel in a pasture or field is always notice that the soil is becoming acid and poverty stricken and that something needs doing.

Times are good out in Montana with the sheep men. They are contracting this year's crop of wool at about 25 cents per pound. Tariff legislation helps these men anyway.

A man who ordered a lot of apricot trees to plant in northern Iowa was saved the disappointment of seeing the trees winter killed, for the sharper who sold him the trees sent him soft maples.

The only real leisure class which we have in the United States are tramps. In the old world countries they are given a title, called gentlemen, and the common people are taxed to support them.

The polled or the dehorned bull is just as likely to have a fit as the bull with horns, but the advantage lies in the fact that the remains are more easily put in shape for the funeral by the undertaker.

Clover is a fine subsoiler, for its roots penetrate deeply and, rotting at the end of two years, leave the compact subsoil finely perforated. Clover is the cheapest subsoiler and soil fertilizer the farmer can get.

Winter wheat might be grown much farther north than the present limit if corn was planted five feet apart and the wheat sown among it in the fall, allowing the stalks to remain standing during the winter to catch the snow.

The earlier and more frequently corn is cultivated the easier will be the later cultivations and the cleaner the field. It is always a mistake to put off the first cultivation until the weeds get well started. The field never gets over it.

We do not care if the fence will turn stock. If it is a crooked fence we would tear it down and set it straight, for no one thing is more indicative of good business methods on the farm than that of fences, buildings, plow furrows and orchard trees set on the square.

A prominent farmer told us recently that the advent of the automobile on the country highways is driving the farmer's trade to the catalogue houses for the reason that it is safer for him to order his goods by mail than to trust his wife or boy with a horse and buggy to go the local store for goods. There may be something in this.

When a man finds himself with a wet farm upon which the crop will fail two years out of five he had better sell half of his land and properly tile drain the balance, if he cannot do it otherwise, for eighty acres of well drained bottom land will produce more than 160 acres undrained, and at far less cost and vastly more comfort.

SAVING A LITTLE.

When a man has worked hard and lived economically for fifty years he should, if a western farmer, find himself worth not less than $20,000, which sum is ample to enable him to live in comfort for the rest of his days. Still there are lots of men who do not do this, and they fail for various reasons. They are given to moving and shifting around from place to place. They try their hand at speculating. They do not try to understand the principles of their profession. They buy and sell at the wrong time. They perhaps get an itching for some office. They foolishly indorse some paper for a friend. They raise a scad of a boy, maybe two of 'em, which keeps them poor. And so it comes that when they get to be old they could not raise $500 to save their lives. The trouble is that everybody nowadays wants to get rich in a hurry and a general contempt prevails for the old fashioned way of saving a little each year.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

There is an evil under the sun, the which old King Solomon never referred to when he was sizing up the evils of his generation, and that is the modern Sunday excursion train, which, under the pretense of giving the people a cheap and harmless outing, is permitted by the road officials to degenerate into an offense against public and private morals. Many unsophisticated and innocent people are induced to patronize these trains and are subjected before their return home to such an introduction to the bummy, profane, drunken and beastly side of human nature that they never get caught a second time. The utter helplessness of the train officials to handle these toughs is the most strange thing about it when the exercise of a little police authority would prevent the trouble. Every such train should have a bum car, into which should be unceremoniously tumbled every drunk.

DRAINAGE CO-OPERATION.

Co-operative effort is nowhere more essential among farmers than when applied to drainage propositions. Few men can properly drain their farms independent of their neighbors. Sometimes—all too often, in fact—we find some project of this sort which if carried out would prove of inestimable benefit to the many absolutely blocked and held up by the mulish opposition of some one man who would be as much benefited as any of his neighbors by the work contemplated. One case we know of where the reclamation of over 70,000 acres of the best corn land in the west has been held up for years by the continued legal action taken by just one man owning a tract of land along the line of the proposed ditch. It is probable that no man's funeral would have been more cheerfully attended than his by his neighbors.

CURING CLOVER HAY.

It will soon be time to cut the clover hay. It is usually not a pleasant job. The weather is catchy, the hay gets wet and browned, if it is put in the barn or stack in an uncured condition it heats and becomes moldy and musty or fires, and if the effort is made to cure it in the field the leaves are shed and the best part of it wasted. However, if the weather is fine the best way is to cut after the dew is off in the morning, bunch in small cocks toward night, turn the cocks over next morning and stack in the afternoon. The plan of putting the clover in the mow just as soon as it is wilted is not now followed to any extent, as there is too much danger of spontaneous combustion.

CHANCE FOR YOUNG MEN.

We feel like suggesting to some young men who want cheap land and a chance to start in farming that they go into western North Dakota, get a piece of land and make a specialty of growing macaroni wheat. This wheat does well there, where other cereals, saving speltz, will not pay to raise. Inside of a year or two this wheat will sell for almost as much as other wheats. Millers are learning how to mill it and housewives how to make excellent bread of the flour, and it looks as though it were destined to be one of the sure and very profitable crops for a large section of the country where land is still very cheap.

THE SEEDLESS APPLE.

The notorious seedless apple is being most industriously exploited and ingeniously advertised by its promoters on the one hand and most emphatically exposed as a fraud by the leading horticulturists of the country. It is small in size, poor in color, inferior in quality and is found not to be worm proof, which is the big point claimed in its favor. Before long some agent will be round to sell you these trees at $2 or $3 each. Show him the highway, for the thing is a fraud at such prices and probably not worthy of cultivation anyway.

IRRIGATION TROUBLES.

The man who has an irrigated farm has his troubles as well as those of us who have to depend upon Providence for a water supply. Sometimes the irrigation of his soil develops so much alkali that it poisons the land, and no crops will grow; then sometimes the snows fail to fall in the mountains, and the irrigation streams and reservoirs dry up, and his crops perish for want of water; then it often happens that some of his neighbors will take more than their share of the water and leave him short.

The high wages demanded by farm help and the increasing value of land are compelling more and more the substitution of machinery for hand labor on the farm, and the use of machinery tends to increase rather than diminish the average size of the farms, and this in turn tends to reduce the population of the rural districts and close up the country schools.

Nowhere else save in the far east could a great war like that which the Japs and Russians are waging take place without materially affecting the price of cereal crops of all nations. As it is, the Russians eat rye bread which they produce themselves, while the Japs live on rice and fish, and so the values of wheat and corn are in no perceptible manner affected.

Coyotes are constantly increasing in numbers over all the range country, and the prairie wolf, a first cousin to the coyote, is more numerous than ever in the thickly settled portions of Iowa and Minnesota. The great abundance of food, particularly poultry and lambs, accounts for this increase. Some Iowa counties have paid bounties on as many as fifty wolves this spring.

There is a great waste in the attempt to cultivate river bottom lands which are half the season liable to overflow and cause an almost total destruction of the crop. It is far better to keep such land in blue grass, which is benefited by a periodical overflow. Such lands properly utilized with the cow or the steer will give a net return of 6 per cent on a valuation of over $100 per acre, which they will not do when the attempt is made to crop them.

Russell Sage's Cousin Dies a Pauper.

New York, June 8.—William M. Riley, said to be a cousin twice removed of Russell Sage, died in the New York hospital a few hours after he had been taken to that institution as a charity patient. He had been a member of the New York Stock Exchange, a mining speculator of note, a real estate operator and was interested in the exploitation of lumber interests in Wisconsin.

Princeton Seminary Gets $1,750,000.

Princeton, N. J., June 12.—The heirs of Mrs. Mary J. Winthrop's estate have finally come to an agreement by which Princeton Theological seminary will receive $1,750,000. This more than doubles the present endowment of $1,525,387, exclusive of buildings and real estate to the amount of $526,150.

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BURLINGTON.

Miss Blanche Bird, who has been spending the past few weeks with her mother, Mrs. B. B. McDonald, returned to her home in Summit, N. J., on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Darrow spent the last few days with relatives and friends at Owego.

Mrs. May Hamilton is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Thompson, nee Lottie Hyatt, at Salona, Clinton county.

Mrs. Plyn Phelps and little daughter went last week Friday on a visit to relatives in Athens and Coopers Plains, N. Y.

Miss Mabel Ross visited her uncle, Elmer Ross, at Springfield, Saturday and Sunday.

D. W. Hill of New Jersey, has been spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Upha Tucker, wife of the late Rev. C. C. Tucker, and daughter, of Canada, will spend the Summer here.

The children's day exercises in the Baptist church Sunday evening were well attended. The children bore evidence of their teachers' training.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Campbell and grandson, Master Philip Campbell, are spending a few weeks with friends in New York, Noank, Conn., and other points of interest.

Miss Emma Moscrip and nephew, Master George Wattles, of Greensburrough, are spending some time with her mother and sister here and at Mac.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fanning of Fairview, spent last Tuesday with their niece, Mrs. Rebecca Stanton.

Walter Dickerman of Binghamton spent a few days with his father, Ezra Dickerman.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. D. G. Phelps, East Smithfield. F. F. Lomax, Monroeton. Clark B. Porter, Towanda.

NEATH.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold an ice cream social at the church parlors Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Jones, the venerable parents of Rev. Hugh Jones, have returned from an extended stay with their other son and will spend some time in this place before returning to Wales.

Miss Alice Philips is visiting friends at Far Rockaway.

Joseph Davis is home from Cornell university.

Dr. C. B. Williams is repairing the barn on his farm. R. L. Shores and son are doing the mason work.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis are entertaining her two brothers and their families, one from Australia and the other from the West.

Mrs. Catherine Davies is recovering from quite a severe illness.

Bert Lyon and wife of LeRaysville, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shores.

SACO.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Pollock and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cordner at Monroeton Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. C. E. McMorran and son Ralph and Miss Dora Ross spent Sunday in Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Amnerman and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McMorran and children visited friends at East Smithfield Sunday.

Miss Florance Weaver of Towanda, is helping Mrs. Thomas Pollock.

NORTH ROME.

Rueben Horton has his new house nearly completed.

Jay Baxter sold a fine Jersey cow to James McCarty last Week.

Bridget Collins, who has been dangerously ill, is recovering rapidly.

Dennis Crowly is building a large addition on his house.

John Yontz of Ghent, spent Sunday at Jay Baxter's.

Daniel Collins of New Albany, spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Torture of a Preacher.

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church, of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried may remedies without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At Turner, the druggist; prive 50c and $1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

DURELL.

There will be a strawberry and ice cream festival at the hall Friday evening, June 16, for the benefit of the Sunday school; everybody come.

Miss Jennie Fuls visited her parents at Smithfield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kerrick spent Sunday at Liberty Corners.

Misses Alliene Thompson and Grace Haight have been visiting at Sayre the past week.

Miss Alma Johnson, of Towanda, spent Sunday with her parents here.

BLACK CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Schaffer visited at Wilmot last Wednesday.

Ronay Mansfield spent Fridayy with relatives here.

O. U. Streevy has returned to his work at Big Bottom.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Everybody is invited to an ice cream social on the church lawn, on Friday evening, June 16.

Mrs. J. W. Nicifols is in very poor health.

Mrs. Robert Waters and daughter of Elmira are visiting her old home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Dibble are rejoicing over the advent of a fine daughter, now two weeks old, named Georgie Burnadeen.

Miss Mae Lampman is home from Towanda where she has been for several weeks.

Miss Irene Allen has been staying a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Grove Lane, at Luthers Mills.

Messrs. Ferris Brown, Fred Allen and Selleck brothers are using cream separaters and are well pleased with them.

The recent rain is helping the belated hay crop.

LITCHFIELD.

Mrs. Jane VanDuzer has returned home after a two weeks' visit with her son, Ben, at Nichols.

Maud Munn, who has been attending school at Waverly, has returned home to spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dean and son Dudley, spent last week with their sister, Mrs. Dee Campbell.

There will be an ice cream social at W. A. Cooper's on Friday evening for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Agustus Smith of Rome, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Lurcock of Nichols, spent Saturday at the home of Ed. Lurcock.

LUTHERS MILLS.

Miss Sara Campbell is visiting her son Albert at Campbell, N. Y.

Grove Lane had the misfortune to cut his foot with an ax one day last week.

Little Eve Alexander is very ill; Clifford Lane is convalesing.

There will be an ice cream festival on the church lawn Tuesday evening, June 20.

On account of lack of interest and attendance Sabbath school is closed.

A large crowd of neighbors and friends attended the funeral of Robert Knapp at his home on Tuesday; interment at Mt. Lake cemetery.

A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protuding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at Turner, the druggist.

SOUTH GHENT.

Mrs. Sarah Showers and grand daughter spent Friday at R. W. Ransom's

M. A. Stephenson and wife were shopping at Towanda on Saturday.

Mrs. James Horton of Sheshequin, was buried in the cemetery here on Sunday.

There was a very pleasant time at Edward Horton's on Friday evening listening to the fine violin music and the songs sung by Uncle Harrison Hemenway of North Ghent.

MORLEY HILL.

John McCarty purchased a cow of Mrs. J. McCarty, one day last week.

William Sullivan had a successful ploughing bee last Friday.

James Burns of New Albany visited relatives and friends here the first of last week.

James Hurley of Towanda is visiting his brother, John, at this place.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Horton at Sheshequin, last Sunday. She was a sister of Edward Purcell of this place.

GRANVILLE SUMMIT.

Miss Eliza Bowman has been visit- at West LeRoy.

Miss Anna Welch is visiting Miss Janette Packard.

Miss Marion English is quite sick.

Miss Daisy Jennings is home from Towanda. Her friend, Miss Charlotte Rowe, came with her for a few days.

Don't forget the W. C. T. U. social at the home of H. R. English on Friday evening, June 16.

In Mad Chase.

Millions rush in mad chase after health, from one extreme of faddism to another, when, if they would only eat good food, and keep their bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills, their troubles would all pass away. Prompt relief and quick cure for liver and stomach trouble. 25c at Turner's drug store; guaranteed.

BERNICE.

Mr. Ditchburn of Bernice, spent last Friday at Laddsburg.

Mrs. Harry Basley and two children of Sonestown, Mrs. P. L. Merithew and Mrs. Charles Pflam and children of Bernice, visited the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Merithew, Friday at New Albany.

Lehigh Valley Railroad.

In effect May 14, 1905.

TRAINS LEAVE TOWANDA AS FOLLOWS

EASTWARD

12:48 a. m., daily, express for Wilkesbarre, Bethlehem, Easton, New York and principa intermediate stations.

4:10 a m, daily, Express for Allentown, Bethlehem, Philadelphia and New York and principal intermediate stations.

7:30 a. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:34 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

7:35 a. m., daily except Sunday, Washington St. Station 7:40 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations via Bernice with connections for Williamsport.

9:15 a. m, daily, Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

10:35 a. m., Sunday only, Local for Tunkhannock and intermediate stations.

1:12 p. m, daily, Limited Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

3:38 p. m, daily except Sunday, Black Diamond Express for Wilkesbarre, Palladelphia and New York.

5:23 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 5:27 p m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

5:30 p. m., daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 5:38 p. m.) Local for Bernice, Williamsport and intermediate stations.

WESTWARD.

1:30 a m, daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:11 a m, daily, Express for Buffalo and the West.

10:50 a m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 10:40 a. m.) Local for Waverly, Elmira, Ithaca, Rochester, Buffalo and intermediate stations.

3:50 p m, Sunday only, Local for Ulster, Milan, Athens and Sayre.

3:02 p m, daily, Local Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit Chicago and the West.

4:20 p. m., daily, Western Express for Ithaca, Rochester and Buffalo with connections for Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit Chicago and the West.

7:26 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:17 p m.) Local for Waverly, Elmira and intermediate stations.

For further particulars apply to local ticke agents.

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The New Short Line Between Towanda and Williamsport and Between Lehigh Valley R. R. and Pennsylvania R. R.

Time Table in Effect May 15 1905.

WESTWARD				STATIONS	EASTWARD			
a m	a	p m	p m		p m	p m	p m	p m
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.....	.....	.....	.....	Athens "	11 16	3	25	7 55
7	15	1	45	Lv. Towanda Ar	10 00	11	30	6 00
7	24	1	52	Monroeton	9 50	11	18	5 50
7	27	1	57	Powell	9 46	11	14	5 45
7	31	2	01	Weston	9 41	11	09	5 40
7	38	2	08	Lomoka	9 33	11	00	5 30
7	40	2	10	Long Valley	9 30	10	57	5 27
7	45	2	15	Barclay	9 25	10	50	5 20
7	47	2	17	East Laquin	9 22	10	47	5 16
7	54	2	24	Laquin	9 18	10	43	5 12
7	59	2	29	Wilsen	9 13	10	38	5 07
8	07	2	37	Cold Spring	9 07	10	32	5 01
8	18	2	48	Wheelerville	8 58	10	23	4 52
8	24	2	54	Ellenton	8 52	10	17	4 46
8	33	3	03	Hillsgrove Junct.	8 43	10	08	4 37
8	45	3	15	Short Run	8 31	9	56	4 25
8	52	3	22	Crandalltown	8 24	9	49	4 18
9	04	3	34	Pleasant Stream	8 12	9	37	4 06
9	29	3	59	Raiston	8 00	9	30	3 55
10	50	6	09	Grays Run	6 40	.....		3 00
10	15	.....	6 50	Williamsport (P. R.	7 10	.....		2 50
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One-way and Excursion Tickets in connection with Pennsylvania R. R. and Lehigh Valley R. R. points. S. & N. Y. R. R. passenger trains use the Northern Central Station at Raiston, and the Main Line Upper Station of the Lehigh Valley R. R. at Towanda.

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Miscellaneous.

HIRAM E. BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

Misses' $1.50 shoes for $1.19 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 670,615.25
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		615.90
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand		2,460.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		6,820.00
Stocks, securities, etc.		72,276.95
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		16,400.00
Other real estate owned		20,225.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		16,108.11
Due from State Banks and Bankers		4,976.08
Due from approved reserve agents		193,939.89
Checks and other cash items		4,386.28
Notes of other National Banks		2,677.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		94.76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$36 576.00	
Legal tender notes	12 715.00	49,291.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		6,250.00
Total		$1,191,536.22

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 125,000.00
Surplus fund	$ 60,000.00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	13,779 77	73,779 77
National Bank notes outstanding		123,600.00
Due to other National Banks	$ 8,666.69	
Dividends unpaid	500.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	297,641.42	
Demand certificates of deposit	559,568.12	
Certified checks	3,1 9.60	
Cash'r's checks outstanding	745.62	869,156.45
Total		$1,191,536.22

State of Penna., County of Bradford, ss:

I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 16, 1909.

Correct—Attest:

GEO. W. KIPP,
WILLIAM LITTLE,
E. F. KIZER,
} Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 557,049.10
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		312.58
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		6,750.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		128,187.50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		30,000.00
Other real estate owned		11,925.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		13,300.64
Due from State Banks and Bankers		5,684.00
Due from approved reserve agents		119,410 09
Checks and other cash items		3,716.25
Notes of other National Banks		5,905.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		889.11
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 30,185.10	
Legal tender notes	8,300.00	38,485.10
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500.00
Total		$1,078,564.37

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 150,000.00
Surplus fund		25,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		10,095.89
National Bank notes outstanding		148,200.00
Due to other National Banks		2,569.90
Dividends unpaid		12.00
Individual deposits subject to check		322,503.87
Demand certificates of deposit		419,171.62
Cashier's checks outstanding		1,021.69
Total		$1,078,564.37

State of Penna., County of Bradford, ss:

I, J. K. Newell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 19, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

MORRIS SHEPARD,
R. A. HORTON,
JOHN M. RAHM,
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PENNSYLVANIA NEWS.

Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

NO MORE SLOT MACHINES.

Pottsville Police Ordered to Seize All Found at That Place—Lightning Killed a Horse—Lucky Strike of Oil at Oil City.

A valuable race horse at West Chester got its tongue caught in a board and it was torn out. The animal will live but will never be able to take any solid food.

There is $19,000,000 on deposit in Wilkesbarre banks, an increase of $2,000,000 over last year.

Mayor Yost of Allentown, is making war upon disorderly houses, with "$100 fine or 30 days in jail."

At a meeting of the school board at Tamaqua it was decided that in the future no scholar should be expelled or suspended for unruly conduct. Instead the offender will be soundly threshed by the superintendent or a teacher or both.

Oil men are excited over the lucky strike at Oil City of William J. Perry, a Philadelphia tailor formerly of Oil City, who has found a well estimated at 200 barrels, worth over $250 a day, in an abandoned territory about five miles north of the town on the John Hope farm.

The Pottsville police have been given instructions to seize every slot machine found there after next Saturday.

The school superintendents of Luzerne County are up in arms against the new child labor law, as they claim it imposes too much work upon them.

Simon Lebar, of Porter township, Monroe County, and Andrew Bradshaw have each killed 13 rattlesnakes, and lumbermen in Lehman township thus far have killed 29.

George Roberts, an alleged pickpocket, who was caught at one of the Memorial Day exercises in Allentown, pleaded guilty in court and was sentenced to one year's employment in prison.

Edward Fritzinger, 25 years of age, of Berlinsville, was killed by a premature explosion of a blast in the slate quarries at Heimbachs.

Lightning struck a barn of William Gross, near Fountainville, damaging the building and killing a horse.

Hazleton police arrested four Philadelphia boys who had run away to become coal miners.

Every inch of space in the Lehigh Valley Cold Storage Company's plant at South Bethleham, being utilized by nearly 22,000,000 eggs, the company has been obliged to refuse 20 carloads, for want of room.

Near Waynesboro an electric car jumped the track and threw John Nicodemus, a passenger, 20 feet against a fence, fracturing several ribs and injuring him internally.

While Rev. Orlando G. Heck attended the Dickinson College commencement exercises a one-leged tramp entered his home at Waynesboro and spent the night in his bed.

George W. Shoemaker, a Philadelphia lawyer, was committed to prison at Harrisburg for neglecting or refusing to obey an order of the Dauphin county court to turn over certain books and papers in a receivership case to his successor as receiver.

M. D. Salsburg, of Wilkesbarre, has entered a suit in trespass against the Central railroad of New Jersey, alleging that while he was at work in a freight car packing goods, the car was bumped violently by an engine and he was seriously injured. He seeks to recover $10,000.

Seventy-one persons united with the First Presbyterian church of Carbondale last week Sunday morning, the largest number at any one time since its organization.

A project is on foot for the erection in Scranton of a seven-story apartment house. A company is being organized with a capital of $250,000 for the purpose.

Frank Zollo, a Wilkesbarre confectioner, was arrested at the instance of a state pure food agent, charged with selling impure candy, and was fined $68.56.

Waiting on customers in a Weatherly store, Henry Mordue, aged 40, fell dead.

Mayor Yost, of Allentown, has notified all saloon keepers that "music and beer don't mix."

Playing at the river wharf at Williamsport, 10-year-old James Collins fell in and was drowned.

The Princeton university entrance examinations will be held in Wilkes-Barre at the rooms of the Luzerne county Medical Society, 4 Anthracite Building, West Market street, on June 15, 16 and 17.

The carpenters' strike, which has been in progress in Pittston for 15 months, was settled with Mayor Langan as arbitor, and the men secure an eight-hour day with an increase of 2½ cents per hour.

Rev. Jacob F. Sherer, of Somerset, has been appointed deputy factory inspector by State Inspector Delaney.

Charles Karlox, working near Quarryville, slipped over a 60-foot embankment, and died of his injuries soon after reaching a Lancaster hospital.

Thrown from his two-ton wagon in a runaway accident at South Bethlehem, its wheels passed over Driver Patrick Love, killing him instantly.

Patrick Dolan was found foully murdered near the railroad at Duryea.

A train at a Mount Joy grade crossing struck an express wagon and sent a ton and a half of butter smearing its way along the tracks ahead.

For cruelty to animals and 20 profane oaths, uttered while he was drunk, George McCartney paid $28 in fines and costs at Mechanicsburg and then "swore off."

John Kosenbauder, a Centrana coal miner, blew out his brains with a revolver in front of a crowd.

A fine of $60 and costs was imposed on A. G. Dannenhower, of Philadelphia, for speeding his auto in Allentown.

Mrs. Sarah A. Todd, of Carlisle, has given $5,000 toward the erection of St. Paul's Lutheran church in that town.

COREYLAND.

Miss Lucy Dillon of Troy, spent Sunday with her parents here.

John Besley, jr., of Elmira, was in town Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. T. G. Wilson.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Case and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe at "Fairmont" last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. James Gunderman of Elmira, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Gregg, recently.

The Ladies'Aid society of the Baptist church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Jefferson Brutsman on Thursday afternoon, June 22, and not on Wednesday as was announced.

Mrs. Hattie Knapp has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Lillian, to James Wilson Wilkins of Austinville, Wednesday evening June 21, in the First Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen West are bidding farewell to their many friends here on their departure for their Western trip.

Mrs. W. T. Gustin was Elmira Monday.

JAPANESE NEW YEAR POEMS

Every New Year the emperor and empress of Japan celebrate the day with an original poem. This year we print the poems which recently appeared in the Kokunin Shimbun and are translated by Mr. Lloyd, one of our valued Japanese correspondents. Mr. Lloyd writes that he takes the emperor's poem to be another way of saying that God is our help in ages past and our hope for years to come and the empress' poem to express her gratitude for the many tokens of practical sympathy which she has been able to see around her:

BY HIS MAJESTY MUTSUHITO, EMPEROR OF JAPAN.

The gods that rule our land from ancient years
Will take the ancient precedents to shape
The course of our new age.

BY HER MAJESTY HARUKO, EMPRESS OF JAPAN.

Throughout the land one voice sounds loud and clear
As from one soul, possessed by one deep thought—
To bear the suffering people's heavy load.
—Independent.

Siamese Love For Games of Chance.

The Siamese are devoted to the holiday making and ceremonies and processions which accompany the most important anniversaries or incidents of life, death and religion and which cause an infinite amount of money to be squandered and time lost.

They love games—kiteflying, a sort of shuttlecock football and fighting with cocks, crickets, beetles and fish, though it is to be surmised that the main attraction of these pursuits consists in the scope thereby afforded for betting and gambling, which are the cardinal national vices.

A Siamese will stake money on anything. Licensed gambling houses exist in the cities and are a large source of income to the government, which farms out the monopoly. A royal lottery is extensively patronized in Bangkok.

Fineness of Engravers' Lines.

In St. John's college, Oxford, is preserved a portrait of Charles I. in which the engraver's lines, as they seem to be, are really microscopic writing, the face alone containing all the book of Psalms, with the creeds and several forms of prayers.

The learned Porson is known to have indulged in this species of curious idleness occasionally, and perhaps the Greek verses from the Medea of Euripides, with Johnson's translation of the same, for Burney's "History of Music," were executed by him. Though consisting of 220 words, they are comprised in a circle half an inch in diameter, with a small space in the center left blank.

Muscles In Tension.

The Revue Scientifique has been asking what muscles tire soonest, with the conclusion that it is not the muscles in use, but those under tension, although doing no work. The writer urges us to use the arms and legs less and the back and neck more, for on them comes the greatest strain. He has been asking men of all occupations the same questions:

When you have worked much, where do you feel tired?

Before you were trained did fatigue show itself in the same regions?

All the answers point to the same conclusions. The baker who kneads dough all night complains of fatigue in his legs.

The blacksmith is tired not in his arms and shoulders, but in his back and loins.

The young soldier, after a march, is especially tired in the back of the neck, even if he has carried no knapsack.

The oarsman who is in perfect training after prolonged exercise gets tired in his calves and insteps.

These facts point to the conclusion that in any continued effort we should try to alter the habit of contraction That is to say, the body, like the mind needs change of work.

Tattooing For Horses.

Tattooing of the horse is said to be a new fad which had its origin in Paris early in the present year. Prominent leaders of society in the French capital, it is said, have had their family coats of arms punctured into the sides of the horses, and the new craze is reported to have already spread throughout Europe.

NEGRO PASTOR IN JAIL

Result of His Novel Method of Taking Up Church Collection.

PASSED PLATE WITH A CLUB

"Big Stick Policy" of Rev. Mr. Samuels of Philadelphia Made Him Unpopular With His Colored Congregation, Though It Swelled His Income.

Philadelphia, June 13.—The Rev. Pinkey P. Samuels is in jail because he insisted that the gospel laborer was worthy of his hire. So thoroughly convinced was Rev. Samuels of this that he started out to collect his hire—with a club.

With a collection plate in one hand and a good strong club in the other the minister who has occupied the pulpit at the White Rock Colored Baptist church for four Sundays achieved great success as a money getter. But the congregation objected to being threatened into paying their way into the kingdom of heaven, and the Rev. Mr. Samuels is in jail.

According to the testimony given in court, the fame of Rev. Mr. Samuels had preceded him to White Rock. He made an agreement that he should receive as salary one-half of the weekly collection. He delivered a stirring sermon on his first appearance, and the collection was $17.51. Although only entitled to $8.75½, the earnest church worker insisted on $10, and he got it.

But there are few millionaires in the White Rock congregation, and the second Sunday sermon netted only $3.66. Now, no self respecting parson can live awhile on $1.83 a week, so Samuels expressed his indignation and declared he would resort to drastic measures if the vineyard did not yield a better harvest.

Samuels Produces the Big Stick.

When Brother Foulke passed the plate on the third Sunday he collected just an even $2.

Samuels took the offering with an air of disgust and made the announcement that thereafter Brother Foulke could remain seated and he would take up the collection himself. Then he went into the vestry and brought forth a heavy club which he placed in a position where every one could see it. He offered up a prayer for a bountiful harvest and then passed the plate a second time, carrying the club; net proceeds, $20.

The congregation did not like Samuels' methods and held a meeting at which he was asked to resign. Last Sunday he declined the invitation to get out and instead of passing the plate stood at the door as the congregation passed out, club in right hand, plate in left. Brother Foulke got out first and later returned with a policeman. The plate was so heavy by this time that Samuels could scarcely hold it.

In court the magistrate kept the club and placed the minister under $600 bail. As it would take about a year's collection to net this sum, Rev. Pinkey P. Samuels is still in jail.

More Yellow Fever at Panama.

Washington, June 13.—Governor Magoon of the Isthmian canal zone reports the following additional cases of yellow fever: A. C. Aikens, American, conductor, Culebra; C. E. Griffiths, American, engineer, Panama; Thomas Hogan, American, engineer, Culebra; Vincente Mosomon, Italian, nonemployee, Panama; Robert H. Lee, American, carpenter, Cristobal; Samuel Sweeker, American, nonemployee, Colon; August Vansciver, American, mechanic, Cristobal. Bucali, whose case was reported June 10, died on that date.

Sleepwalker Falls to Death.

New York, June 13.—Charles A. Claussen, a broker and member of the Produce Exchange, with an office at 19 Whitehall street, was found dead in the front area of the house in which he lived with his family at 113 West Seventy-sixth street. Mrs. Claussen told the police that her husband had fallen from the window while walking in his sleep.

Jail For United States Captain.

Omaha, June 13.—It is stated that Captain W. G. Kirkman of the Twenty-fifth infantry, who figured in the scandal which resulted in the suicide of Mrs. Bessie Chandler, a fellow officer's wife, will not only be dismissed from the army, but that the sentence of the court martial is that he serve a term in the penitentiary.

Police Captain Found Guilty.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 13.—Police Captain James Wilson of Allegheny, accused of accepting bribes in connection with illegal houses, was found guilty, but the jury recommended him to the mercy of the court. The prosecution of Captain Wilson was conducted under the auspices of the Antigraft league.

"Nelson's Last Pillow" For Sale.

London, June 13.—"Nelson's last pillow," a small circular metal box made from the oak block which supported Lord Nelson's head when his body was placed in a cask of spirits on board the Victory, will shortly be sold at Stevens' auction rooms.

King Alfonso Returns Home.

Madrid, June 13.—King Alfonso arrived in Madrid on his return from his trip to France and England. He was accompanied by the queen mother and the Princess Theresa. The party was received with great ceremony by state officials and notables.

Announcing It.

Pauline (sarcastically)—Jack struts along as if he owned the earth. Elvira (sweetly)—No wonder. Last evening I promised to let him become my husband.

Looking One in the Eyes.

There is a venerable specimen of proverbial philosophy which says that the man who cannot look you in the face is dishonest. No other saying has received greater currency. It strikes the popular mind with axiomatic force, and yet it is not a reliable test of character. Every confidence man who succeeds in his calling has the steady gaze of the immaculate person. No person who is skilled in the fine art of deception fails to take an obvious precaution to impress his dupes. On the other hand, many persons of unquestionable integrity are "put out of countenance" by mere shyness. So morbidly was this trait developed in the case of Hawthorne, in his earlier years at least, that he would go out of his way to avoid meeting those who desired to converse with him. It would be impossible for such a man to cash a forged check, to borrow money from a bank on bogus collateral.

The great rascals can face the world without shrinking.—New York World.

Advice to the Men.

Reams of advice are unloaded upon woman telling, instructing and admonishing her how to make home pleasant, so that the lord and master may find comfort therein. So, then, why should not some advice be given to the said lord and master? For verily there is more than one of them who make home mighty unpleasant. There is the man who does not realize that it takes money to make home pleasant. There is the man who does not realize that his wife needs recreation and outside amusement once in awhile, so that she can continue to make home pleasant. There is the man who does not realize that silence and grumpiness and a grouch now and then do not make home pleasant. There is the man who does not realize that children must be noisy sometimes and play and romp if home is to be pleasant to them.—A Woman Cor. in Philadelphia Telegraph.

Snakes Are Great Fasters.

Snakes, though at times they gorge themselves, are great fasters. In the French museum an anaconda twenty feet long was a very small feeder, though he gained in weight. Taken there in 1885, he had only thirty-four meals during the next five years, consisting of a small goat or a few rabbits. The interval between these meals varied from twenty-three to 204 days. He would not touch food unless he was in real need of it, and it was only by watching him and noticing when he seemed to be uneasy that his keepers could conclude that he was hungry. During the long fast, which was in 1886, many strenuous efforts were made to tempt or force him to eat without the least success.

Profit and Loss.

Here is a story illustrative of the tribulations of an editor of a paper in the west in the old days. Away back in the early eighties of the last century a notice appeared in a journal published at Dodge City which ran as follows:

"In view of the fact that we cannot pay the road tax of $10 assessed against us this year we have been sentenced to a certain period of confinement by the judicial authorities of this state; consequently there will be no issue of this paper for the next three weeks. But, as the state will of course have to board us, we figure that we shall come out some $20 ahead."—Harper's Weekly.

The Importance of Advertising.

Time was when advertising was regarded as "blowing one's own horn," and there have been in it at times fakes and frauds, just as there have been in other lines of business. All that has changed very perceptibly in the past three or four decades. Business men have realized that the world is too large to ask the people in it to hunt around and find out for themselves what the manufacturer makes and what the merchant has to sell. The possible consumer must be found and told about what is for sale and why he should buy it. That is all there is to advertising.—Indianapolis Star.

A Remarkable Scrapbook.

One of the most carefully guarded possessions of the United States treasury is a scrapbook that is always kept shut up in a massive burglar proof safe in the bureau of engraving and printing. Scarce any one has ever seen it save high officials of the department. Its shabby outside gives no suggestion of the precious contents, yet pasted on the yellow pages are "proofs" taken from all the important counterfeit plates for paper money that have ever been captured by the government.

The Easy Job Youth.

Whenever I see a youth looking for "a soft snap" I pity him. There can be no doubt where he will end if he does not change his tactics. If he does not brace up, take stock of himself and put vim and purpose and energy into his life he will surely join the great army of the "might have beens."—Success.

Philadelphia's Rapid Gait.

"These," said the epicure to the bright Philadelphia girl, "are snails. I suppose Philadelphia people don't eat them for fear of cannibalism."

"Oh, no," was the answer; "it isn't that. We couldn't catch them."—Washington Star.

Something Got Away.

"You say the chicken soup isn't good. Why, I told the cook how to make it. Perhaps she didn't catch the idea."

"No. I think it was the chicken she didn't catch."

His Bluff.

Hojack—Why are you consulting the dictionary? I thought you knew how to spell. Tomdik—I do. I am not looking for information, but for corroboration.

Hard Luck.

Mrs. Jones—It's strange that a strong man like you cannot get work. The Tramp—Well, yer see, mum, people wants references from me last employer, an' he's been dead twenty years.

Result of Republican Primaries, June 10, 1905.

ELECTION DISTRICTS	Sheriff. John W. Codding	Sheriff. Geo. M. Gilbert	Sheriff. N. V. Weller	Prof. Frank Pike	Reg. and Rec. Chas. P. Dewey	Reg. and Rec. James T. McCollom	Treasurer. G. M. Hoffman	Treasurer. W. F. Waters	Commission'r Hartley L. Prince	Commission'r Theodore Pierce	Auditors. Edson D. Harkness	Auditors. L. H. Marsh	Auditors. H. H. Bentley	Auditors. Alden Keyes	Auditors. Wilbur Gorham	Auditors. W. A. Smith	Auditors. H. Eugene Landon
Alba Boro	14	4	3	20	9	12	0	11	3	7	17	14	7	11	3	1	17
Albany Twp	78	7	66	97	55	11	79	92	29	8	40	58	119	62	80	21	35
Armenia																	
Asylum	35	9	10	40	12	5	37	34	13	2	25	33	30	12	31	17	50
Athens Boro—1st Ward	10	3	164	139	83	55	30	148	25	2	138	84	80	90	81	60	48
Athens Boro—2d Ward	10	4	154	166	139	19	13	160	6	8	152	147	25	95	69	112	32
Athens Boro—3d Ward	13	7	107	115	60	39	28	117	9	1	95	77	50	84	70	60	11
Athens Boro—4th Ward	15	1	74	63	19	23	43	73	16	1	29	45	68	29	44	55	20
Athens Twp—1st District	8	1	18	21	13	8	6	19	5	3	19	12	12	18	6	18	5
Athens Twp—2d District	12	0	0	11	12	0	0	12	0	0	12	9	2	10	0	12	0
Athens Twp—3d District	14	1	33	44	22	20	5	35	9	1	34	29	19	20	30	24	5
Athens Twp—4th District	5	0	1	6	6	0	0	0	3	3	5	6	1	3	5	0	4
Barclay	7	3	106	37	17	30	33	5	95	4	5	2	113	13	14	26	37
Burlington Boro	16	12	1	25	18	5	6	12	11	5	21	16	18	9	14	1	22
Burlington Twp	47	22	8	71	51	24	1	55	26	1	40	29	57	33	33	46	40
Burlington West	24	8	7	35	29	2	5	30	5	0	32	29	9	10	22	1	34
Canton Boro	87	46	27	136	113	35	11	14	3	144	97	93	69	42	7	1	153
Canton Twp—1st District	73	11	10	75	66	17	13	8	12	74	66	59	24	14	3	5	84
Canton Twp—2d District	21	4	2	24	17	8	0	8	1	17	24	11	8	8	0	2	29
Columbia—1st District	38	2	2	40	25	14	1	28	5	1	33	33	6	41	30	5	1
Columbia—2d District	48	1	0	49	47	2	0	48	5	0	46	37	4	47	42	2	3
Franklin	29	5	27	16	4	24	10	28	5	25	13	37	15	20	13	23	23
Granville	41	20	13	59	48	14	15	21	13	42	55	51	28	43	6	11	65
Herrick	42	8	11	46	14	8	38	6	53	3	31	43	29	18	52	13	21
LeRaysville	36	2	35	54	29	15	26	44	13	5	20	59	37	39	25	25	30
LeRoy	14	21	20	40	21	16	17	8	8	36	30	11	36	22	9	5	42
Litchfield	15	1	18	28	29	7	2	24	11	2	30	18	12	9	16	7	12
Monroe Boro	22	11	21	32	12	10	30	14	28	5	15	28	39	13	14	12	31
Monroe Twp—1st District	17	4	2	18	1	1	22	2	16	4	10	5	21	2	16	5	12
Monroe Twp—2d District	18	36	10	52	42	13	8	8	52	4	22	17	54	16	9	2	55
New Albany Boro	37	5	19	46	38	4	17	48	11	0	8	12	59	25	31	8	5
Orwell	34	8	4	37	12	5	31	4	44	1	36	23	24	13	37	4	33
Overton	6		7	11	4	1	8	3	3	2	5	8	11	8	7	3	6
Pike Twp—1st District	30	12	14	49	32	8	15	38	14	4	31	46	20	33	47	7	11
Pike Twp—2d District	11	6	55	62	19	12	40	48	16	5	25	66	32	22	64	17	7
Ridgebury	17	5	1	74	82			66	8	3	74	61	19	68	30	30	32
Rome Boro	36	2	3	42	3	2	15	22	17	4	24	26	17	14	35	5	5
Rome Twp	29	9	24	45	44	8	5	22	17	15	41	26	14	13	38	23	26
Sayre Boro—1st Ward	66	9	60	127	72	36	18	54	78	3	84	91	54	63	17	69	70
Sayre Boro—2d Ward	170	8	33	207	167	20	21	160	48	3	174	171	42	174	5	200	9
Sayre Boro—3d Ward	27	2	39	62	40	10	14	26	33	2	49	49	16	30	23	54	8
Sayre Boro—4th Ward	76	8	38	117	85	19	12	67	52	1	56	86	68	72	34	50	50
Sheshequin	50	7	61	101	59	24	17	61	48	8	50	56	91	40	76	28	31
Smithfield	48	7	24	55	58	18	1	33	36	5	64	17	50	58	50	8	31
South Creek	124	6	5	131	138			131	3	3	135	126	5	133	82	17	34
South Waverly	59	1	27	87	64	22	1	67	18	1	68	72	20	62	13	81	6
Springfield	73	10	33	93	82	30	3	72	19	19	89	71	45	95	61	11	31
Standing Stone	16	1	3	19	15	3	2	8	12	0	6	5	15	13	6	5	9
Sylvania Boro	33	3	4	35	24	17		10	23	4	36	30	8	40	18	3	9
Terry	60	18	36	90		4	109	37	55	13	29	64	91	25	42	45	58
Towanda Boro—1st Ward	91	16	23	104	36	24	68	26	95	6	50	48	98	49	42	26	69
Towanda Boro—2d Ward	133	26	24	139	77	32	65	51	122	4	63	61	140	80	81	43	66
Towanda Boro—3d Ward	130	25	30	143	93	28	52	55	122	4	75	65	140	82	105	42	69
Towanda Twp	92	4	15	62	53	9	17	64	37	1	44	48	79	56	56	6	19
Towanda North	44	19	8	58	21	17	28	6	62	2	15	10	66	27	19	33	20
Troy Boro	111	19	13	123	55	89	1	86	16	35	116	104	39	112	3	5	85
Troy Twp—1st District	27	14	4	26	10	32		7	3	24	33	17	16	27	4	4	27
Troy Twp—2d District	18	16	10	34	18	13	14	9	18	20	32	18	26	27	8	3	28
Tuscarora Twp—Eastern District	16	3	6	20	10		15	13	5	7	18	19	4	14	18	3	8
Tuscarora Twp—Western District	17	1	1	19	2		17	3	9	7	8	13	11	6	13	9	8
Ulster Twp—1st District	62	3	13	63	53	13	2	32	45	9	62	41	26	57	47	23	20
Ulster Twp—2d District	4	12	16	18	21	1	0	10	7	3	11	13	15	8	10	9	16
Warren	44	3	12	55	37	17	3	37	17	3	32	48	13	18	54	12	7
Wells	49	3	6	55	59	9	0	31	22	4	50	46	14	48	38	14	17
Wilmont	26	0	55	58	6	3	73	4	72	3	17	57	57	30	29	27	24
Windham	8	6	17	22	8	9	13	14	16	0	20	20	14	10	23	9	6
Wyalusing Boro	70	4	38	91	16	5	93	73	28	7	56	104	32	50	63	31	38
Wyalusing Twp—1st District	21	5	24	42	3	1	46	25	14	5	21	40	16	13	24	19	22
Wyalusing Twp—2d District	26	10	11	37	5	4	39	9	36	1	34	38	15	15	34	9	15
Wysox Twp—1st District	13	9	0	18	12	6	3	11	8	1	9	10	11	11	21	2	5
Wysox Twp—2 District	22	6	1	23	17	7	6	14	12	3	5	5	29	11	21	6	8
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The Day of the Doer.

Time was when "Has Been" was accepted and respected for the sake of what he had done. Not so today.

"Am Now" has introduced himself and is the lion of the hour.

No one cares what has been done. The world is too busy keeping in touch with the "Doer" to bother about the "Done."

Maybe you composed an opera yesterday. No one cares. What are you composing now?

You tell us that your last year's picture was the success of the day. Yes, of that day, but that day is gone. What are you painting now?

Nor does the world care for promise. It accepts not the bud, but the blossom.

The "Will Be" is no more welcome among the world's workers than is the "Has Been."

You may be about to sing a beautiful melody which promises to ring down the ages. Nobody cares. Sing it. The world cannot afford to think about unsung melodies.

The world has room for the "Doer" only; the "Nower" is the rage.

This is an age of "Do, we must be shown!"

It is an age of now, an age of today. It recognizes no yesterday. There is no tomorrow.—New York World.

Keeping Up Your Courage.

There is first the belief that we are well and capable of continuing so. That is nothing more than faith in our own human powers. It is a faith that every self respecting person should have. Do not abuse the organs of the body, and then there will be no necessity of thinking of them and wondering if they are working all right. By dwelling too much upon some weakness we can always aggravate it through nervous reaction. This in some cases can become such a confirmed habit that serious troubles will be induced. There are many patients in the world today who might be up and around, enjoying good health, if they but willed that they should do so. They are invalids through lack of force of character, for will makes character of one sort or another.—Household Ledger.

A Victim of Small Beer.

A correspondent sends to the London Public Opinion the following quaint epitaph on what is known as "Thetcher's Stone" at Winchester, England:

"In memory of Thomas Thetcher, a grenadier in the North regiment of Hants militia, who died of violent fever contracted by drinking small beer when hot the 12th of May, 1764, aged twenty-six years. In grateful remembrance of whose universal good will toward his comrades this stone is placed here at their expense, as a small testimony of their regard and concern.

"Here sleeps in peace a Hampshire grenadier
Who caught his death by drinking cold small beer.
Soldiers, be wise from his untimely fall
And when you're hot drink strong or none at all.

"An honest soldier never is forgot,
Whether he die by musket or by pot."

An Irishman's Retort.

Cyrus W. Field of Atlantic cable fame once stopped an Irish peasant to make inquiries about Blarney castle. Receiving the information, he gave the Irishman the following conundrum: "Now, Mike, suppose that Lucifer was sure of us both, which would he take first, do you think?"

The Irishman looked thoughtful for a moment, then said, "Yer honor, I think he'd take me."

"Why?" said Field.

"Because he's always sure of you."

Plant a Tree.

When eating a good pear or apple save the seeds and plant them either in a flower pot, where they will germinate before long, or else directly in the garden, when they will come up next spring. To prevent their loss the place must be covered as a mark. It takes a number of years before they bear fruit, but to see the progress of growth from year to year is always interesting. People often think it is not worth while for them to plant trees. They will not live to have fruit of them and so neglect it entirely. But some one will enjoy the harvest. It is just the individual egotism which causes so much unhappiness and affects all classes of society in many ways.—Hartford Times.

Great Heads and Little Wit.

Great men are usually said to have great memories, but it does not follow that all who have great memories are great men. I remember an idiot in Ohio who was a great curiosity many years ago. He knew the whole Bible by heart from beginning to end, and if any verse was read or repeated to him he could tell exactly in what book and chapter it was to be found and its verse number in the chapter. He was considered a great marvel in this particular, but in every other he was a mental imbecile and could not be trusted even to feed himself.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Origin of the Postmark.

Great Britain, it is said, can, without fear of contradiction, claim the honor of having originated the postmark The first one, which was used in London as long ago as 1660, was a very simple affair, consisting of a small circle divided into two parts. In the top portion were two letters indicating the month, while in the lower half the day of the month was shown. No endeavor was made to denote the year, and it is only by the dates of the letters on which the mark is impressed that it is possible to fix the date of its use. The earliest known was on a letter written in 1680.—London Telegraph.

A Nightmareless Rarebit.

A bachelor whose skill at getting up dainty supper dishes assures him plenty of company in the evenings is responsible for a substitute for the Welsh rabbit that is free from nightmare. He covers lightly toasted bread with finely grated cheese and instead of slipping it in the oven places it beneath the flame of the gas broiler until the cheese has been toasted a light brown.

If a good cream cheese is used there is not the slightest suggestion of sogginess or greasiness, and even those to whom a rabbit means a night of troubled dreams may indulge in this with no fear of evil consequences.

The trick lies in the grating of the cheese. Broken into bits, it would melt into a pasty mass. Finely divided, each particle should be individually toasted before it has a chance to melt down, and in that state it is readily assimilated.—New York Press.

The Choice of a Wife.

A German professor selects a woman who can merely stew prunes not because stewing prunes and reading Proclus make a delightful harmony, but because he wants his prunes stewed for him and chooses to read Proclus by himself. A fullness of sympathy, a sharing of life one with another, is scarcely ever looked for except in a narrow, conventional sense. Men like to come home and find a blazing fire and a smiling face and an hour of relaxation. Their serious thoughts and earnest aims in life they keep on one side. And this is the carrying out of love and marriage almost everywhere in the world, and this the degrading of women by both.—From One of Mrs. Browning's Letters, 1846.

Not Her Custom.

She—And she is to be married for the third time! She hasn't been a widow very long. He—No. She never is a widow very long.—New York Press.

The Ruling Passion.

He (reading)—She wore an air of mystery? She (absently)—How was it trimmed?

The Secret of Good Coffee

Even the best housekeepers cannot make a good cup of coffee without good material. Dirty, adulterated and queerly blended coffee such as unscrupulous dealers shovel over their counters won't do. But take the pure, clean, natural flavored

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1st. WITH BOILING WATER. Add boiling water, and let it boil THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.

2d. WITH COLD WATER. Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.

3 DON'TS (Don't boil it too long. Don't let it stand more than ten minutes before serving. Don't use water that has been boiled before.

TWO WAYS TO SETTLE COFFEE.

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JUDGE STEWART.

The appointment by Governor Pennypacker of Judge Stewart of Chambersburg, to the vacancy on the supreme bench of Pennsylvania has received the unqualified approval of the people of the state. There is no doubt that the Republican State committee will confirm Governor Pennypacker's choice by nominating him for the full term, and there is a strong probability that the Democrats will endorse his nomination. This unanimous agreement among men of all classes and all shades of political belief is as unusual as it is gratifying. His selection at this time is significant. It means, among other things, that the appointment will be supported by the managers of the State organization, who evidently realize that the time is not auspicious for putting forward to this position any one but a man of high judicial character.

Judge Stewart is in his sixtysixth year; a graduate of Princeton; was admitted to the bar in 1860, and in 1862 was mustered into the Union army as first lieutenant of Company A, 126th regiment. He was a member of the convention that nominated Lincoln for the second term, and in 1880 was elected to the state senate. He was the independent Republican candidate for governor of Pennsylvania in 1882 and was a delegate to the national convention which nominated Blaine for president in 1884. He was elected judge in Franklin county in 1888, and is now serving his second term.

There is no doubt that Judge Stewart, on the supreme bench will be an upright and independent judge, far above being swayed by the wishes of political powers or the influences that are some times exerted to affect judicial action. His service on the lower bench has demonstrated his full qualification for the appellate position. It is doubtful if a selection could have been made within the state more unexceptional in its character or containing a better guarantee of the high judicial standing of the nominee.

In the June number of the Century Magazine G. H. Grosvenor writes interestingly on the Weather Bureau, its work and its value to the country. The writer states that the government spends $1,500,000 a year on its Weather Bureau—more than all the governments of Europe spend for similar service. Some time ago a skeptical insurance company determined to investigate the amount of property saved in one year by the warnings of the Weather Bureau. It found that on an average the people of the United States save every year $30,000,000 because of their weather service—which means that they get annually a dividend of 2,000 per cent. on the investment. Much of the work has been devoted to developing a perfect system of frost and cold-wave warnings, which have proved invaluable to agriculturists. Telegraph, telephone and railroad join to distribute the warnings.

Henry James doesn't like the way some of the Americans pronounce the English language. He objects to "Vinillar ice cream," "that other feller," etc. If Henry wants to hear the real thing he should try to decipher the mushy talk of a good old country lad who has spent a month or two in New York city. Most of the boys from the hillsides and valleys of the farm country know enough not to ape their city brethern and make asses of themselves but there are a few who come back with a lingo that would give a pain to a dead horse.

The appointment of Judge John Stewart of Chambersburg to fill the vacancy on the Supreme court bench seems to meet the approval of all classes, irrespective of party, throughout the state. His fitness for the place is unquestioned and his integrity is beyond cavil. There will be disappointment to many that the honor did not come to Bradford county's candidate, Rodney A. Mercur, Esq., but as long as the place was to go elsewhere Governor Pennypacker is being praised for his wise selection.

Buffalo chamber of commerce is to have a new home of its own on the site of the old Granite block, adjoining the Bank of Buffalo. The building will be an 11 story structure, to cost $1,000,000, and it is intended to have it completed by Jan. 1.

THE TICKET.

The result of last Saturday's primaries is given in detail in another column. Although the vote cast was below the normal poll at the general election the successful candidates were nominated by pluralities that leave no doubt of the will of the people. Of the nomination of Mr. Codding there has not at any time been any doubt. Although opposed by strong competitors his popularity and conceded fitness for the office made him an easy winner. He will make a good official and will give strength to the ticket.

The same may be said of Mr. Dewey. His strong claims for the office for which he was a candidate have long been recognized by the rank and file as well as by party leaders and his selection now comes as the result of loyal and faithful devotion to Republican principles and friends for whom he has repeatedly sacrificed his own ambitions.

The nomination for prothonotary was made without opposition, this being the first instance, we believe, in the history of the party when a nomination, for the first term to so important an office, has been made without a contest. This unusual result was a concession, first, to a strong candidate, and second, to a district whose sturdy Republicanism and big majorities are always dependable. Mr. Pike's nomination will bring many votes to the ticket.

Mr. Waters won his nomination by a clear majority over his two competitors. Mr. Prince who stood next in the poll made a most creditable run and had he not been prevented by physical disability from making an active canvass the result might have been different.

Mr. Waters is in every way qualified for the office for which he has been named. His integrity has never been questioned and his honesty and business experience are a guarantee that the interests of the county will be well guarded and its accounts kept straight.

The contest around which the greatest interest centered was that for the nomination for county commissioner, for it had become evident during the week preceding the primaries that the candidacy of Mr. Bentley had developed unexpected strength and his nomination was confidently claimed by his friends. The result shows that while these claims were not realized yet they had a substantial basis. Mr. Bentley unaided and alone made a canvass against great odds and his vote at the polls was a splendid endorsement of his candidacy. The renomination of Commissioner Harkness was a fitting recognition of the excellent service he has given during his first term. He is a careful, competent business man and his integrity is unquestioned. The experience gained during his first term of office will be invaluable to the county and the other members of the board. Mr. Marsh, his associate on the ticket, is a practical, experienced man of business and will bring to his new duties careful attention and a capacity for work that should make him an excellent official.

There was very little contest over the nomination of auditors. Messrs. Keyes and Gorham who were chosen are men of high character and in every way competent to perform their duties.

The result of the primaries will be accepted by all good Republicans as an expression of the party's will and they will give the whole ticket their united and hearty support. The ticket from sheriff to auditor is a good one. It has no vulnerable spots. It was nominated by substantial pluralities and will be triumphantly elected. In our next issue we hope to to able to give a sketch of all the candidates.

A SAFE AND SANE FOURTH

Laws passed by the legislature of 1901 and 1903 makes a safe and sane Fourth of July a posibility in this state. As dealers in fireworks may not all be fully aware of the law it will be expedient for them to examine closely the following acts and also the proper thing for those who contemplate an unsafe and insane fourth. One act approved June 19, 1901, is as follows:

"Any person or persons manufacturing or selling fireworks containing dynamite, chlorate of potash, or any explosive except that containing ordinary gunpowder * * * shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and upon conviction thereoof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not les than $50 and not more than $100, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than six months, and not more than one year, at the discretion of the Court."

Another Act of Assembly, approved April 15, 1903, declares it to be unlawful for any person—"to discharge on the streets or alleys of any city or borough in this Comonwealth, a flobert rifle, air gun, spring gun, or any implement which impels with force a metal pellet of any kind." The penalty is $5 for the first offence and $15 for the second; and the committing magistrate is further authorized to impose for the second offense an imprisonment of from ten to thirty days in the county jail.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

GET INTO THE HABIT.

The Elmira Advertiser has taken up in earnest the booming of Elmira. It has suggested many things. One of them is that smokers use only Elmira cigars. It points ont the fact that not only would thousands of dollars now going to outside factories be kept there but that work for 100 additional cigar makers could be given in that city. The suggestion in regard to Elmira cigars might well be followed here. If Towanda men all smoked Towanda cigars it would keep an estimated $15,000 in Towanda and would give employment to a greatly increased number of cigar makers.

What applies to the cigar trade applies to everything else. Towanda people want to get the habit of saying: "Give our home dealers the chance." Buy everything staple here out of dealers stocks and then if there is something a little better or a little different from what is kept for regular trade wanted give the home dealer a chance to send for it. The home dealer can afford to take this trouble and if the people get into the habit a great source of revenue that is now going out of town would be kept at home.

The dealer has just as much to do in this matter as the buyers. The dealer cannot expect people to buy something that they do not like just because it happens to be in stock. The dealer who first goes after this trade will build up a great business. For example, Towanda Printing company has no engraving plant of its own but it can get the finest work by sending for it. It does not do embossing but it can order such work. The same thing applies to many lines of business.

Grades of work that it would not pay to stock up on can be ordered and in this way get the same goods without running the chance of a big loss. Dry goods, groceries, fancy meats, dress goods, furniture, drugs, books, shoes, clothing—there is nothing in these lines which are being bought so largely out of town by many persons that could not be purchased through Towanda merchants. The chances are, too, that they could be bought cheaper. Let's get together, merchant and buyer, on Towanda everything.

'TIS WORK THAT WINS.

A DesMoines, Iowa, schoolboy, anxious to learn, asked noted men to tell him the secret of their success in life. These letters were addressed to sixteen men, including Secretary Shaw, W. J. Bryan, Governor Cummins, Edward Bok, Marshall Field and others of equal prominence. There was not much difference of opinion among the writers as to the important elements of success. Industry and integrity were declared to be the essentials, and there was practical unanimity that any success that is worth having must not come at the sacrifice of right principle.

Mr. Bok's career is especially interesting. Edward Bok gets the largest salary of any editor in this country and is married to the daughter of a multi-millionaire. A few years ago it is said that Mr. Bok was a poor Dutch immigrant in New York city, selling lemonade from a bucket. Then he carried newspapers, cleaned windows, worked in a bakery, ran errands—anything to make a living. He left school at 13 and studied stenography at night. He took down the sermons of Henry Ward Beecher and printed and sold them. Then he started the publication of the Brooklyn Magazine.

He sold the magazine and started in to learn the publishing business. He started a newspaper syndicate. Publishers kept an eye on this hard-working young man. Mr. Curtis of Philadelphia offered him $10,000 a year to edit one of his publications. Seven years after he began with Curtis he married the latter's daughter. Asked by the interviewer, who got the foregoing facts, concerning the secret of his success he answered: "Work. I worked like the devil."

This may not have been an entirely proper thing for the editor of a woman's magazine to say but he meant to emphasize. He added afterwards: "Work for the delight of it." He found his place and the delight of his tasks gave him success. This is a good lesson for the young graduate: Find your work; delight in it and work, for work is genius and work is success.

In accordance with his promise that he would give to the City of Philadelphia a business administration, Mayor Weaver has announced the appointment of an advisory committee of fourteen. In announcing the names of his advisors, the mayor said: "I expect to consult them on business connected with the city. Many problems will arise from time to time on which they can give me expert advice. I have selected them because of their broad business experience." The mayor is going to clean up Philadelphia if such a thing is possible in a city noted for its contentedness in the mire of corruption. Thus far Mr. Weaver has made no mistake. If he keeps up the good record anything is his for the asking.

Bacon's Crime.

Master (to youth being examined in English history)—With what crime was Lord Bacon charged? Youth (as if by an inspiration)—With writing Shakespeare's plays.

THE PRESS AS A MORAL AGENT.

The newspaper as a moral force is a subject upon which President W. W. Screws, of the National Editorial association, has some excellent views. He expressed them in a unique and forceful manner at the annual meeting of the association at Guthrie, Oklahoma, and they should be of interest to the readers as well as the makers of newspapers. He said:

"It is as a moral force that the thoroughly honest newspaper and its utterances are most powerful and in a measure a necessary part of our lives. A distinguished member of congress a year or two ago said that 'if it were not for the newspapers the jobs which would go through congress are terrible to contemplate,' and added that if there were no newspapers he would be afraid to trust himself alone in the house of representatives for fifteen minutes. The mere fact of publicity is, of course, a great deterrment of evil, but followed up editorially a great public sentiment is aroused which finds expression at polling places, and defeat of men who indulge in shady transactions. It is beyond question that the fear of exposure from an independent press is one of the safe guards of our government.

"A land without a free and independent press would be a land of ignorance, of tyranny, and of degradation. As long as the press is free, fearless and incorruptible, freedom is assured. While we have newspapers in whose columns will be found exposures of fraud and corruption and criticisms of public servants, that long will we have free government and a free people. A handcuffed press would be a greater menace to liberty than any tryant. As moulders of public opinion, as representatives of the mightiest force, always excepting the public, as conservators of the honor and dignity and wellfare of the American people, newspapers and those who conduct them are entitled to honor and commendation.

A fashion note that will be of more interest than formerly to Towanda in light of a new industry is to the effect that the silk craze predicted for this year is even more strenuous than had been expected. Silk is worn everywhere and made up into the stunning evening gown as well as the dress which goes to the church and to the factory. Silk is no longer the exclusive cloth of the rich.

Friday and Thirteen.

In Great Britain there are two particular superstitions which have probably the largest following—that Friday is an unlucky day and that thirteen is an unlucky number. Friday's bad character was derived from the fact that it was the day of our Lord's crucifixion, as well as the one on which Adam and Eve ate the forbidden fruit, and likewise the day of their death. Sailors have still a strong objection to beginning a voyage on that day, although modern conditions often make it imperative. In Christian countries, too, the superstition of thirteen at dinner being unlucky and that one of the diners will die before the year is out is also of Biblical origin, being revived from the last supper of our Lord with his twelve apostles, but the superstition is much anterior to Christianity. Thirteen at dinner in old Norse mythology was deemed unlucky because at a banquet in the Valhalla Loki once intruded, making the thirteenth guest, and Baldur was slain.—London Globe.

They Got the "Glassy Eye."

A certain confectioner in New York, who caters chiefly to the little folks of the neighborhood, lately arranged his shop window with great care in preparation for a local festivity. The crowning attraction of the whole was a large chocolate tiger with most realistic green eyes made of glass marbles which had cost the designer 25 cents apiece. In the tiger's mouth was a card bearing the inscription, "Nothing in this window over 5 cents a quarter pound."

A crowd of youngsters quickly assembled on the sidewalk, and presently, after much spelling over the placard, two of them invaded the shop and deposited a nickel upon the counter.

"Say, mister," began the smaller boy earnestly, "gimme a quarter o' a pound o' tiger—the piece with the eyes in!"

An Odd Wedding Custom.

A unique wedding custom prevails in Manchuria. The bride and her attendants, all mounted on stilts, proceed through the main streets of the village to the domicile of the groom, who meets the procession and conducts it to the place where the ceremony is to be performed. He and his friends are also on stilts. Social prominence is indicated not by richness of attire, but by the height of the stilts worn by the assembled guests. The higher the rank of the wearer the loftier the stilts they wear. If, as sometimes happens, the contracting parties are of differing social standing the effect is more than usually ludicrous.

Having Fun After Death.

A humorist in Japan who jested all his life told his friends when he was dying that his body was not to be washed after death, but was to be taken at once to the family temple to be cremated. When he died his instructions were followed. As soon as it was set on fire the mourners were astonished by several loud explosions. At first they were inclined to take to their heels, but curiosity got the better of fear, and careful inspection showed that the humorist had stowed away a large number of firecrackers about his person before his death.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

ROOSEVELT, THIEF CATCHER

Incident of the President's Life on a Western Ranch.

"Did you ever hear the story of how President Roosevelt when he was running the ranch on the Little Missouri and was just plain Teddy captured two horse thieves?" recently asked J. B. Thompson of Faribault, Minn., of a group of friends at the Hotel McKay in Duluth, Minn., says a dispatch from that city. "No? Well, I was out there at the time of the incident and can vouch for the truth of the story.

"One day a couple of cowboys rode up to the banks of the river from the side on which the Roosevelt ranch is situated. They removed the saddles and blankets from their horses and dumped the stuff into a boat moored on the shore, turning their animals loose. The men were observed, and as the boat belonged to Mr. Roosevelt he was notified. The men in the boat instead of rowing across the river, as it was at first supposed they would, coolly began rowing downstream to some destination unknown. It was plain that they were stealing the boat.

"Mr. Roosevelt mounted a horse as soon as he heard of the theft of his boat and started in pursuit down the bank of the river. The Little Missouri is rather crooked, but Mr. Roosevelt came up with them at last and ordered them to bring the boat to the shore. The men in the boat gave him the laugh, but Mr. Roosevelt, presenting a revolver of the very effective type in vogue in that country at that time, again ordered them to bring the boat to the shore. Both of the cowboys were armed, but they complied with the order.

"Mr. Roosevelt kept the men covered while they approached the bank and then ordered them, one at a time, to discard their weapons. Mr. Roosevelt then turned his horse loose to find its way back to the ranch and, getting into the boat, made the men row him back to the place where they had stolen the craft. He then escorted his prisoners to the railroad station at Medora and took them to Dickinson to stand trial.

"Later it developed that the two men were horse thieves, and they were tried and convicted and did time for that crime. I forgot whether the charge of stealing the boat was pressed, but I presume not, for horse stealing was the more serious charge. Horse thieves in that country got very little consideration in those days, and the horse thief that got off with a term in prison was lucky."

English Tailors' Vernacular.

The plaintiff in a recent libel action was not the "ninth part of a man" or he would have known that "jiggery-pokery" was tailor's slang for humbug. There are still many terms employed by the trade which are unknown to the outside public, and some of them show a pretty turn of fancy.

A young lady friend is a "long haired chum," a man's wife is his "better forepart," and the master's wife is the "marm fuss" or "jiffness," "Legs and arms" is beer with no body in it, and to "give his pint for a man" means that he will vouch for him to the utmost of his power. Going to America is "crossing the damp pot." To spoil anything is to "make pie or pork" of it. A badly worked buttonhole is a "dead sow's eye," and a collar or lapel too large for the coat is a "pig's lug." A "paralytic fit" is a misfit, and a "misfit" is a man of awkward figure.—London Chronicle.

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Mrs. George E. Searing is visiting relatives at Newark.

M. E. Chubbuck is repainting his Huston street residence.

Mrs. Charles Mayberry of Retreat is visiting Towanda relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Peleg Peck of Troy, are guests at the Ward House.

The home of Fred B. Whyte on Kingsbury avenue has been repainted.

Mrs. S. W. Bragne of North Towanda, is visiting relatives in Connecticut.

Rev. George J. Dixon of Overton was registered at Ochs Hotel Monday.

Principal I. F. Stetler of Sayre was registered at the New Park hotel Monday.

Philip Angle, who has been attending school at Pitsburg, is at his home here.

Miss Rebecca Blackwell is visiting friends and relatives in Elmira for a few dys.

Mrs. Minerva Hill is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Charles Taylor, in Scranton.

Mrs. George Landon and Mrs. W. S. Lafferty of Camptown, were Towanda visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winter of Greene, N. Y., are visiting their son, W. T. Winter, here.

Mrs. W. F. Kimble and children of North Towanda, are at Ralston to remain for some time.

A Towanda team was defeated by the K. Y. G. team at Sayre on Saturday by a score of 5 to 3.

The Children's day services at the Universalist church have been postponed until Sunday, June 18.

A desirable improvement has been effected in leveling up the stone walk in front of the Arcade block.

E. Moyer has moved from Ochs Hotel to Pratt avenue where he and Mrs. Moyer will keep house.

Mrs. Elias W. Hale, jr., has returned home from Colorado where she has been spending the past winter.

Charles, the thrteen month old child of Mr. and Mrs.. George Ferguson died Saturday afternoon of tuberculosis.

The residence of Mrs. J. O. Frost on North Main street has been handsomely repainted in colonial buff and white.

Mrs. Charles Walters has returned from New York city, bringing her little grandson to spend the Summer here.

Charles Brague has returned to his home in North Towanda after spending several months at Oak Grove, Florida.

The Waverly baseball team was defeated by the Susquehanna team at the latter place on Saturday by a score of 7 to 0.

An interesting entry on the New Park hotel register Thursday was the following: "George Byron Neal, City, 74 years old this day."

Cornelius McNamara is in York this week as a delegate from Towanda Tribe, No. 359, to the great council of Pennsylvania Red Men.

The Ladies' Sewing society of Wysox will be entertained for dinner on Thursday by Mrs. Louis Piollet at the homestead. All cordially invited.

The Wysox Sewing society will be entertained at dinner by Mrs. Piollet at her home Thursday, of this week. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas W. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Mitchell, drove over from Troy Tuesday, the gentlemen having business at the county seat.

Ulysses Mercur of Philadelphia, formerly of this place, was an usher at the Houck-Ryan wedding at Williamsport on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Among the Lehigh Valley men down from Sayre Monday were Trainmaster Pickley, Traveling Freight Agent Eason and Engineer I. H. Stephens.

George Rohey of Dushore and Miss Emma Hamm were maried at the Church of the Epiphany at Sayre on Wednesday noon of last week by Rev. J. L. Shanley.

Dr. and Mrs. O. A. Houghton went Monday to Syracuse to attend the commencement exercises of Syracuse university. Dr. Houghton will return to Towanda on Thursday.

Foster Wolfe returned to his home in Towanda Tuesday affter a fifteen days stay at the Packer hospital in Syre, where he submitted to a second operation for appendicitis.

Leon H. Stedge, George Henley, Edgar Lane and James Vincent of Watkins Camp, Sons of Veterans, went Monday to Milton to attend the state encampment. A. C. Scheufler went Tuesday afternoon.

The work of tearing down the old Mix residence on North Main street, preparatory to erecting a modern residence there for Mrs. J. E. McQuistin, has been comenced. The house is one of the landmarks of that section of the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. LaMar D. Hay and daughter Margaret, Mis Marietta Meredith, Miss Grace M. Decker, Miss Florence Decker and W. Kirk Betts are at Ashley attending the wedding of Rev. Alfred H. Morrison and Miss Cora Field. Mr. Betts will be best man.

FORTUNATE ESCAPE FROM BAD WRECK ON S. & N. Y. ROAD.

Only Two Persons Hurt and Those Not Seriously.

A head-on collision occurred on the Susquehanna & New York railroad on Saturday afternoon which fortunately resulted in the injury of only two persons and those not seriously. West bound passenger train No. 6, leaving Towanda at 3:45 and in charge of Engineer Fred Turner was on time at Long Valley and is reported to have left there on schedule time. About 40 rods west the engineer of the passenger train saw local freight No. 21 on the main track coming around a curve.

Engineer Turner immediately applied the brakes and the passenger train was nearly stopped when the freight crashed into it. Both engines were damaged but not to such an extent but that they can be repaired here. None of the passenger cars left the track nor did those of the freight train.

Fred Place, who was working as a lineman in place of his brother, stood on the back platform of the rear coach of the passenger train when he saw the impending collision and he jumped to the track. The impact of the freight drove the passenger train back and the car passed over Place but the wheels did not touch him. Mrs. Joseph Foyle, whose home is at Barclay, was also injured and it is reported that she jumped from the train when she saw what was coming. Both were removed later to the Robert Packer hospital at Sayre for treatment.

An official investigation is being made as to the circumstances of the wreck. According to Engineer Myer of the freight train he had time to make his clearance all right and says that his watch showed this. Trainmen of the passenger state that the freight was three or four minutes late and their watches are said to indicate this. The freight train according to their time, should have been on the switch at the time the collision occurred.

Passengers on the west and east bound trains were transferred around the engines and both trains carried their passengers through to their destinations. There were many wild rumors afloat Saturday evening in regard to the wreck, one being to the effect that the passenger train had been hurled into the creek and another that two men were fajally injured. These were entirely erroneous.

A telephone message from the hospital Sunday afternoon stated that while both Mr. Place and Mrs. Foyle were painfully injured there was nothing serious about their condition. Mr. Place was badly lacerated about the face and head and his cheek, chin and lips were badly cut. His shoulder and side were sprained. Mrs. Foyle suffered a dislocated shoulder and one ankle was sprained.

GREAT GAME ON THURSDAY.

Wilkesbarre Semi-Professionals Coming Here to Play Ball.

The greatest game of ball in Towanda this season is scheduled for Thursday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock, sharp, on the East Side grounds with the Wilkesbarre semi-professionals, known as the Sans Souci Park team. Then it is expected the local fans will be enabled to retrieve their disappointment over the failure to play Monday's game.

Among the visitors are such stars as Daughtery, the Boston ex-league man, who will cover first bag, the Kilcoynes and Laird, the best pitcher in this section. They are counted the swiftest examplars of the national game in the Wyoming valley, and that is saying some.

But for all that they will have no cinch. Cotter will be in the box, and everybody knows what that means. He will be supported by Backus, the new catcher, and the balance of the team are all right anyway. Admission the same as usual—25 cents—and ten cents for a grandstand seat. Save the pennies for Thursday afternoon.

Williamsport & North Branch Changes

The following changes on the Williamsport and North Branch railroad have been announced: H. A. Knipe, superintendent of the Eagles Mere branch, will resume his duties at Sonestown; D. K. Townsend is appointed superintendent, with offices at Hughesville, and will have charge of the main line; G. M. Case, in addition to his duties as general freight agent, will assume the duties of general passenger agent until further notice.

Burlingame-Phillips.

A pretty home wedding occurred at 209 West Pine street last evening when Miss Cora Phillips of East Smithfield became Mrs. J. T. Burlingame. The wedding occurred in the new home of the bridal couple. Mr. Burlingame who was formerly of Smithfield, is employed in the cold storage plant at Sayre.—Thursday's Athens News.

Another Team Defaulted.

The unexplained failure of the Kingston All-Collegiate ball team to come to Towanda yesterday afternoon as advertised deprived the lovers of the game an opportunity to see what the Towanda players could do. The afternoon was an ideal one for base ball and big crowd was disappointed.

Summering in Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Quinlan arrived in Towanda Friday from Waynesboro, N. C. The Misses Quinlan will arrive in a few days and the ladies will spend the summer in Towanda. Mr. Quinlan will remain here only a week or two.

CONCERNING A WELL-KNOWN TOWANDA BUSINESS MAN

Twenty Years in the Publishing Business Completed by E. B. McKee.

Elmer B. McKee, business manager of the Towanda Printing Company, and Mrs. McKee have been attending the sessions of the National Editorial association, held this year at Guthrie, Oklahoma, and are now with a party making a trip to the Lewis & Clark exposition at Portland, Oregon, and a tour of the Pacific coast. The editors of The Review would not presume on Mr. McKee's modesty, were he in Pennsylvania, to print his biography, but as he is some 3,000 miles away and the culprits may presume upon safety for at least another 30 days, they deem it fitting to say just a few words regarding Mr. McKee's connection with the newspaper business in Bradford county, which began just 20 years ago this morning, on June 15, 1885.

On that day, he with his brother, Frank C. McKee, now treasurer and manager of the Carlisle Printing Com-

ELMER B. McKEE.

pany, and editor of The American Volunteer at Carlisle, Pa., took possession of The Daily Review. Towanda's only newspaper was then a small affair of five columns to the page. It was established on Aug. 11, 1879, by S. W. Alvord & Son, and its six years of existence up to the time McKee Bros. became the owners had been marked by the struggles usually incident to the launching of daily papers in inland towns at that time. To Mr. McKee's unceasing efforts is due the high place and prestige now enjoyed by The Review in the Bradford county newspaper field.

Elmer B. McKee was born in Orwell township, this county, in 1859. His whole life has been devoted to educational work, and later to the newspaper business, although he has found time to engage in other enterprises of a local nature, where there was a possibility of their assisting in the upbuilding of the town's industries. His business ability is best indicated by the success of those enterprises in which he has been an active agent. As a young boy Mr. McKee came to Towanda with his parents, and graduated from the commercial department of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute in 1873, in the first class under Professors Ryan and Quinlan. For a time he taught in the public schools of the county, and in 1882, graduated from the Oswego Normal Training school. For a year following he was principal of the Sayre graded school, and then taught a year in the S. C. I. At this time he became interested in county institute instruction work, and during 1884-86, inclusive, was an instructor in some 30 counties in this state. He was for a number of years a school director in Towanda borough and is at the present time one of the trustees of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute.

Since first engaging in it Mr. McKee has never appeared satisfied with the existing state of things in the newspaper business, but has directed all his energies to building up and improving the properties with which he has been connected. From time to time The Review was enlarged and improved, a weekly edition established, and in 1896 he purchased the Bradford Republican. On Oct. 1, 1903, the Towanda Printing Company was formed and the properties of the Reporter-Journal Printing Co., and McKee Bros. were consolidated. Of this company Mr. McKee is treasurer and business manager. He has for years been deeply interested in the general wellfare of the publishing business of the state and is active in the affairs of both state and national editorial associations. He is a member of the executive and libel committees of the state association, and a delegate this year to the national association.

Mr. McKee is one of the incorporators of the Carlisle Printing Co., the new owners of the American Volunteer at Carlisle, and is president of the company. That he will give the same earnest attention to the upbuilding of that property and the material prosperity of Carlisle and Cumberland county that has always characterized his attitude toward local affairs, is a foregone conclusion. His connection with the Carlisle company will not make any change in his business or residence here.

In addition to his other interests, Mr. McKee is a director and the treasurer of the Towanda Electric Illuminating Co., and a director of the York State Telephone Co., and the Towanda Gas Co. He is also active in the affairs of the Business Men's asociation of Towanda, and was its first president.—Daily Reivew.

Girl Wanted to Die.

It is reported that a young girl attending school in Mansfield, recently attempted self destruction at her boarding place by swallowing carbolic acid. Happily her life was saved though only by the most strenuous efforts of a hastily summoned physician.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. Stewart Talks to Young Graduates on "Beginning Life."

The annual baccalaureate sermon to the members of the graduating class of the Towanda High school was delivered by Rev. Dr. John S. Stewart at the First Presbyterian Sunday before a large congregation. The following 17 members compose this year's class:

Miles Catlin Smith, Nellie Best Frost, Eben M. Lilley, Edmond C. Turner, Edward Eugene Chubbuck, Coryl Margaret Lewis, Mary Elizabeth Ingham, Bessie A. MacMorran, Anne Frances Chaffee, James Taylor Ingham, Isabelle Frisbie Bull, Ethel George Ott, Charles Beecher Reed, Emma Gordon, George V. Dayton, Bertha May Sluyter, Lucy Satterlee Sweet. Rev. O. A.. Houghton, Ph D., of the First Methodist Episcopal church read the Scripture and offered praper.

Dr. Stewart's address upon "Beginning Life" was a helpful and practical talk to young people. It was from the text: "That our sons may be as plants grown up in their youth; That our daughters may be as corner stones polished after the similitude of a palace." Youth is an all important time in life. Everything depends on how we begin. The principles, the ideas, the standards adopted in early life go with us as a rule to the end.

How should young people begin life: First with high aim and lofty ideals. No one rises above his highest aim. No one is ever nobler or better than his noblest and best ideals Success or failure depends less on good fortune than upon good resolutions. A second factor in beginning life right is that one upon the threshold of life should not let any sense of dignity or conceit of power or worth stand in the way of whatever duty enjoins. The main point is to begin to acquire skill and experience as is evidenced by the lives of many great men. Begin with the first work that comes to your hands. Do it well and you will not have to wait for recognition.

Third: It is of prime importance if young people would start well that they keep their honor bright. More than simply being honest as the law requires one must be honorable. The young people need to remember that labor conquers all things. He wins who works. The greatest men in the world, have as a rule, been its great workers, as illustrated by such figures as Napoleon, Gladstone and Roosevelt. There are no eight hour laws for captains of industry.

And to hard work add patience, to begin well. Work and wait for appreciation. An important thing is never to forget anything you have once learned if that thing is worthy and not evil. If a thing is worth learning it is worth remembering. Most important of all is to begin life by becoming earnest, sincere Christians. This is what the psalmist prayed might be realized by the young people of his nation. Before knowledge and culture, before power and beauty, before riches and honor, is religion.

A feature of the service was the beautiful soprano solo sung with impressive effect by Miss Mary Frances Kirby. She was accompanied on the piano by her sister, Mrs. .A. C. Jackson of Berwick. Miss Kirby has sung very little in Towanda of late and the opportunity to hear her was much appreciated. Her voice has gained in range and power and her study has given her a nicety of execution which marks the artist.

List of Jurors.

The following persons will serve as jurors this week: Elmer Arnold, Litchfield; Fred Balch, Sayre; James Butler, Troy; Frank I. Champlin, Orwell; Mylert S. Culver, Tuscarora; Thomas E. Connolly, Asylum; Mahlon Carman, Towanda; William Cheeney, Windham; Rowland W. Crandall, Pike; Hosea K. Craig, Ridgebury; Edwin K. Drake, Athens; Horace W. Durand, Herrick; John E. Dobbins, Troy; William Ellsworth, Wyalusing; Charles Finch, Sayre; Mark O. Guthrie, Springfield; Charles S. Harman, Towanda; Frank Hatch, Albany; Owen C. Kendall, Athens; George A. Kinney, Athens; Mark M. Kimball, Smithfield; James W. Ketcham, Canton; Edgar D. Lewis, Wyalusing; Charles Lawrence, Athens; Jefferson D. May, Ridgebury; Frank S. Mead, Sayre; James B. Maney, Athens; John Maloney, Rome; Arthur Mason, Troy; Stephen E. Post, Terry; Emmett L. Burlington; Wallace Vargeson, Terry; George H. Wilcox, New Albany; Fisher Welles, Wyalusing.

Visitors Outclassed.

The Pittston Grays proved an easy mark for Towanda Friday and were defeated by a score of 8 to 0. Towanda had four new men in the game, Klinks in the left field, Lynch at short, Jess Madigan behind the bat and Audley Ryan at first base. All made good. The visitors fielded fairly well but Cotter had them completely at his mercy at the bat and only one man reached second base. Loftus was touched up by the Towanda batsmen for some pretty hits. Cotter struck out ten men and Loftus five. Towanda made three errors and the visitors two. Towanda is credited with 14 hits and the Grays one. Walter S. Beck umpired. The score by innings follows:

Towanda	2	0	0	2	3	1	0	x	—	8
Towanda	2	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	x	— 8

Arrested at Owego.

Chas. B. Knoll, who says his home is in Towanda, was arrested in Owego Saturday evening on the charge of illegal train riding. He was sentenced to imprisonment in the county jail for five days.—Owego Gazette.

DR. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY

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COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Tax Lien Attaches at Date of Assessment—Orphans' Court.

The following orders of court are of recent date:

Orphans Court.

In the estate of Patrick Dorsey, deceased, decree of court filed wherein it is held that under the act of 1901 a lien for taxes attaches at the date of the levy and assessment and that the lien exists independently of the claim filed therefor.

Estate of William N. Wells, deceased; specific performance of contract ordered and decreed.

Estate of Henry F. Smith, deceased; J. W. Chamberlain, administrator, C. T. A., discharged.

Estate of Richard M. Ross, deceased; public sale of real estate ordered and decreed.

Estate of James Cain, deceased; citation issued directed to Julia Coveney.

Estates of Achshah M. and Bessie A. Ellis; William Keyser aappointed guardian.

Estate of A. D. Whitney, deceased; A. J. Whitney, administrator, discharged.

Estate of Edward Lee Knights; Sarah L. Knights, guardian, discharged.

Estate of Howard Hickey; Eliza H. Hickey appointed guardian.

Estates of Bertha L. & John E. Wilkinson; investment of funds approved.

Estate of Major B. Porter, deceased; public sale of real estate ordered and decreed.

Common Pleas.

Susie Almira Johnson vs. Benjamin G. Johnson; May H. Pritchard vs. Asa T. Pritchard; Sara E. Barkman vs. Thomas C. Darkman; subpoenas in divorce awarded.

Bertha Clark vs. John Clark; divorce decreed.

CONNELLY—CUMMINGS.

Elmira Couple Married at the Church of SS. Peter and Paul.

Miss Catherine G. Cummings of Elmira, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cummings of Towanda, and Thomas Connelly, also of Elmira, were married June 8 at 7:30 o'clock at the Church of SS. Peter and Paul, Rev. J. J. Coroner officiating. Dennis Connelly, a brother of the groom, was best man, and Miss Frances Cummings, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. William and John J. Cummings were ushers.

The bride was dressed in green silk and carried white carnations, and the bridesmaid wore a gown of white silk and carried white carnations. A reception and breakfast was given at the home of the bride's parents on Pratt avenue at 9 o'clock, and Mr. and Mrs. Connelly left on train No. 157 for a trip to Rochester and Buffalo. Upon their return they will reside in Elmira.

Prohibition County Convention.

The Bradford county Prohibition party convention will be held in the court house in Towanda, on Wednesday, June 21. Conference at 11 o. clock. Candidates for county offices will be nominated, five members of the State Central committee and sixteen delegates to the State convention will be elected and any other proper business will be transacted. W. S. H. Heermans, county chairman. H. Meeker, secretary.

Two Attempted Suicide.

The news of the attempt of Colonel Charles W. Singleton of Binghamton to commit suicide at an Owego hotel so overcame his wife that she took 20 one-grain morphine tablets and was only saved after an hour's hard work by physicians. Mrs. Singleton is a woman of very nervous temperament.

Franklindale Boy in the Navy.

Earl Crandell of the battleship Galveston, has been up from New York harbor making his parents and friends at Franklindale a short visit. He is on one of the ships that will be sent to France under Admiral Sigsbee to bring to America the remains of Admiral John Paul Jones.

Gilbert Waived a Hearing.

Gilbert Johnson, who is accused with doing some shooting on upper Bridge street, recently, waived a hearing before Justice Meredith Friday. Gilbert gave bail for his appearance at court. He is charged with assault and battery and shooting with intent to kill.

Two Fingers Cut.

Harry Norconk, an employe of J. O. Frost's Son's furniture factory in this place, had the ends of the third and fourth fingers of the left hand cut off Wednesday by getting them in contact with the cutting knives of the buzz planer.

FATHER CHEWED END OF HIS SON'S THUMB

He Then Drew a Revolver and Attempted to Finish the Job.

After biting the top of his son's thumb off, Samuel Cost, of Carbondale, drew a revolver and fired several shots at him, none of which, however, took effect. The father is now in jail to answer to a charge of attemped murder.

He is himself the victim of an attempted murder, in which one of his sons was the aggressor. Another of his sons, Tony, who was the object of the old man's wrath, is now under indictment for feloniously wounding his rival in love. Altogether the family appears to be imbued with a murderous instinct.

Sunday night's affray was precipitated by the thoughtlessless of the son. He was about to be married shortly, and he requested a loan from his father to tide him over the wedding.

The older man had been drinking and he quarreled with the son. His wife sided with the son and this enraged Cost, who was about to strike her. Tony stepped between them.

The older man suddenly caught Tony's thumb between his teeth and literally chewed off the end of it.

He then drew a revolver and fired point blank at the younger man, who was running from the house. He was too intoxicated to shoot straight and none of the shots took effect. Later the police arrived on the scene and the old man was locked up.

WANT STATE AID ROAD.

Athens Township His Filed the Necessary Papers.

Some time ago the commissioners of Athens township petitioned the Bradford county commissioners in the matter of laying a strip of macadamized road from the Chemung river bridge west into the township. This road to be built under the recently passed good roads bill which provides that the state shall pay three-fourths of the cost of such road, the county one-eighth and the township one-eighth.

The county commissioners have decided to grant the petition for the building of one mile of road extending as was asked from the bridge crossing the river at Tioga street, for one mile, and they are now preparing the necessary papers for the formal application for the building of the road which must be made for the state highway commissioners.

Their decision to do this was made on Tuesday last and it is believed that matters will now be hastened and a survey made in the near future. The cost of building a mile of macadamized road is is said to be about eight thousand dollars.—Sayre Times.

COMMANDER WILT'S STAFF.

Hon. E. M. Tuton of Bentley Creek, Named as Chief of Staff.

Captain J. Andrew Wilt of Towanda, elected last week at Reading Department Commander of the Pennsylvia G. A. R., reappointed all the old staff officers, with the exception of chief of staff, which honor he conferred upon Hon. E. M. Tuton of Bentley Creek. Mr. Wilt named Alex F. Nichols of Philadelphia, department inspector; D. J. Horner, Somerset, judge advocate; Chas. O. Smith, Pittsburg, chief mustering officer.

Rev. John W. Sayres, D. D., of Reading was elected department chaplain for the thirty-fourth consecutive time.

The Right Way.

Tuberculosis is gradually being stamped out among the cattle in the vicinity of West Chester and few cases are being reported. The dairy men are taking good care of their cows and are having them examined frequently by the veterinarians in order that there may be no spread of the disease from single cases. In the examinations of the stock at the dairies, said a prominent veterinarian, "I have found little of the disease and it is being rapidly stamped out in this section. The owners of the big dairies are having their stock examined privately at frequent intervals and the general health of the cattle is good. I have found little of the trouble lately and ordered but a small number of cows killed."

New Canton Firm.

The old Wynne building in Main street street at Canton is being repaired and will be occupied in about 10 days by a grocery firm consisting of William Mitchell and Floyd Innes, two well known business men of that place. Both have had business experience. Mr. Mitchell has been engaged in the grocery business there for some time and Mr. Innes was connected with the Swayze Advertising Company

Legally Dead.

Unless they come forward and show evidence of life three persons will be declared legally dead by the Susquehanna county court on July 9th. Michael Sheehan has been missing from his home in Canaan for 24 years and Edward Roche and Wm. Roache, jr., have been not heard from by the Hawley relatives in 18 years.

Aged Couple on Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Love, the parents of Mrs. Doud of this place, left Thursday for Chicago where they will stay with relatives. Both Mr. and Mrs. Love are advanced in years, Mr. Love being 89 years of age and Mrs. Love 85. Mr. Love is an exempt fireman and served in Elmira.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existance. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it, promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

SAM MORETTA PLANNING TO MAKE HIS ESCAPE

Making Key to Fit Stone Gang Ball and Chain.

Sam Moretta is an Italian from Laquin who is serving a sentence in the county jail here for selling liquor without a license. Sam is bright. On Wednesday of last week Constable McCracken found in Sam's possession a trunk key which had been so cut down and worked upon that it nearly fitted the lock of the shackle on the ball and chain worn by the jail prisoners when they exercise on the stone pile. Sam had evidently grown tired of prison confinment and was hankering after the balsam of the fir and pine trees of the woods where he can make good money by selling the beers for five cents.

Sam was sick yesterday and did not work as a breaker of stones. His right arm is held together by wire. When Sam was in the stave mill at Laquin some one told him to "look out" and he stepped right into a saw which cut a piece of bone out of his right arm. Cold gets into the member and gives Sam the rheumatism. It is supposed that Sam had been fitting the key to the ball and chain lock when he has been allowed to go into the closets at the court house.

FIRE QUICKLY SUBDUED.

Incipient Blaze in the Hawes Factory Promptly Squelched.

A fire that started in the lower floor of the paint shop of the James H. Hawes Manufacturing company's plant, called out the Towanda fire department at 9 p. m. last Thursday The blaze was quickly subdued by members of Hawes Hose company, No. 5, with a stream of water and the use of ashes to smother the blaze. When first discovered the fire was in a large can of wood filler, said to contain nearly a half barrel of inflammable material. Sufficient heat was engendered to start the automatic sprinklers, with which every part of the big factory is fully equipped. The down town companies arrived in record time but did not have to unreel their hose.

The paint shop occupies the two story brick building standing at the West side and separated from the main building. It was in the lower story, used as a store room, that the fire was located.

Its prompt discovery by the night watchman probably prevented a serious loss. The factory whistle was blown at just 9 o'clock and many persons down town had the impression that the shop had been working in the evening and that a quitting signal had been given. It was not until the electric light whistle and the fire bell were sounded that the public in general knew that there was a fire. A big crowd turned out and followed the firemen to the factory.

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RUSSIA'S REPLY IN.

President Formally Notified That Czar Is Ready to Talk Peace.

DISCUSSING MEETING PLACE

Washington Likely to Be the Scene of the Momentous Conference—Marquis Ito Believed to Be Slated For Chairmanship of Japanese Commission.

Washington, June 13.—It was announced that the formal reply of the Russian government to President Roosevelt's identical note of last Thursday is in the hands of the American government. The response was handed to Ambassador Meyer at St. Petersburg by Count Lamsdorff and transmitted by the ambassador to President Roosevelt. It can be said that it is in perfect consonance with the oral assurances given the president by Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador here.

It has been intended by the president to make public the replies of both Russia and Japan to his appeal for a cessation of hostilities in the far east, but a decision has been reached not to publish them at this time. This determination was arrived at at the suggestion of both belligerents that the publication of the responses at this juncture might not be desirable. Official assurance is given, however, that the informal statements of the contents of the replies are not only accurate, but practically complete as to the information contained in them.

MARQUIS ITO.
[Who will probably be chairman of Japanese peace commission.]

It is understood that the issue now being decided is not only the place for the negotiations, but the number of the negotiators, and it is believed another feature not yet disclosed. Unless Japan suggests Paris or Mukden, Washington is likely to be selected. Russia appreciates the advantage of the negotiations taking place beyond the sphere of outside influences, and if President Roosevelt is asked to decide the question in case the belligerents cannot agree it is considered certain that he will not hesitate to do so. Indeed, it is the understanding here that the president, while not urging his view, has already pointed out to both countries the advantages of Manchuria.

Japan will probably be represented in the peace negotiations by Marquis Ito, Baron Komura and Marquis Yamagata and Russia by M. Nelidoff and Baron Rosen, with another member still to be chosen.

Ito a Famous Diplomat.

Of the five men mentioned Marquis Ito is generally considered the greatest not only in experience, but in sheer native ability and diplomatic sagacity. He is more than any other man responsible for the rise of modern Japan. Ito has traveled widely, has been to St. Petersburg on at least one mission of importance, has been premier of Japan several times and had much to do with precipitating the Chinese war of 1894. He is practically the "dean" of the "elder statesmen."

Baron Komura is at present the foreign minister of Japan, while Marquis Yamagata is ranked by many military experts as the greatest living soldier of his race, not excepting Field Marshal Oyama or Baron Kodama, the latter's right hand man.

M. Nelidoff is one of the oldest and most trusted of the czar's ambassadors. Baron Rosen, who was Russia's representative at Tokyo when the war began, is soon to succeed Count Cassini at Washington.

Russians Shoot Jews.

Warsaw, June 13.—It is reported that in the city of Brest-Litovsk troops fired on the populace in the Jewish quarter, killing twenty-four Jews and wounding thirty-eight, most of whom were Jews. A riot, it is said, originated in a conflict between Jews and army reserve men bound for the far east. The soldiers are said to have looted provision stores, and the Jews, in defending their property, are alleged to have fired on the troops, who returned the fire. The town is now occupied by the military.

Russians Attack Oyama.

Tokyo, June 13.—It is officially reported that on June 11 some mixed columns of Russian troops attacked in the vicinities of Yingscheng, Erhshihlipao and Shufangtai. All the attacks were repulsed. The losses are not stated.

Fourth Class Postmasters.

Washington, June 13.—The following fourth class postmasters were appointed for Pennsylvania: Chambersville, Samuel Fleming; Green Park, Helinda H. Garber; Lopez, Herbert M. Kellogg.

TRIED TO KILL FAIRBANKS.

Maniac With Rusty Pistol After Vice President In Michigan.

Flint, Mich., June 8.—Vice President Fairbanks narrowly escaped death here at the hands of an escaped insane man who, armed with a revolver, tried to kill him during a speech. Three detectives grabbed the assailant, handcuffed him and rushed him to a police station. He gave his name as James McConnell. Twenty thousand persons saw the attack, and a lynching was barely prevented.

Mr. Fairbanks had just finished a sentence which brought a burst of applause when McConnell made a dash toward the speaker. His right hand rested in his pocket on a revolver, covered with rust, which contained a 32 caliber cartridge. Socialist documents were found on him as well as several cartridges. Doctors will examine McConnell.

McConnell is said to have been confined in several insane asylums. He succeeded in escaping from two and was released from one several weeks ago. He reached town shortly after the vice president's train arrived here. He followed the carriage which Mr. Fairbanks occupied in the parade and the police noticed his actions.

After the attempt by the maniac the vice president paused a moment, turned toward Senator Burrows, then calmly wiping his forehead with his handkerchief continued his speech.

At the station McConnell expressed his disappointment of failing to carry out his scheme. He was slightly intoxicated, but he was emphatic in his declaration that he would yet succeed in killing Mr. Fairbanks.

BIGELOW GETS TEN YEARS.

Ex-President of Bankers' Association, Who Caused Shortage, Pleads Guilty.

Milwaukee, Wis., June 11.—Frank G. Bigelow, defaulting president of the First National bank of Wisconsin, was sentenced in the federal court to ten years at hard labor in the penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Bigelow pleaded guilty to an indictment of ten counts, returned by the federal grand jury, charging violations of the national bank law, and was sentenced by United States District Judge Quarles to a concurrent sentence of ten years.

Frank G. Bigelow, president of the First National bank of Milwaukee, was arrested on April 24, charged with the embezzlement of more than $100,000 of the bank's funds. He later confessed to the board of directors of the bank that he was a defaulter to the extent of $1,450,000.

He was taken before United States Commissioner Bloodgood, who fixed bail at $25,000 for Bigelow's release to appear before the grand jury.

In addressing the board he confessed he had misdirected the funds of the bank and that an examination of his books would show that he was indebted to the bank for more than $1,450,000.

The money, he said, had been lost in speculation in wheat and stocks and that not a dollar of it could be recovered.

He was formerly president of the American Bankers' association. It was also alleged that he had caused a shortage in the funds of various great estates which he managed.

SHAFFER DEFENDS CARNEGIE

Declare Ironmaster Is a Good Friend of the Workingman.

Pittsburg, June 13.—Theodore J. Shaffer, the retiring head of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, voluntarily made the statement that Andrew Carnegie's actions in the great Homestead strike of 1892 were in no way inimical to the members of the union.

President Shaffer said: "I have carefully examined the books of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers relative to the Homestead strike and find that Andrew Carnegie is not mentioned in any manner as being antagoistic to the members of the organization in that crucial period. In fact, Mr. Carnegie favored arbitration."

Mr. Shaffer's statement was occasioned by the recent opposition of the laboring class to the acceptance of Mr. Carnegie's gifts.

"There should be no malice shown," he said, "as Mr. Carnegie has times innumerable demonstrated his friendship for the workingman."

HAS COUNCILMAN ARRESTED.

Mayor Weaver Also Dismisses Seventy-nine Philadelphia Employees.

Philadelphia, June 13.—At the instigation of Mayor Weaver a warrant was issued for the arrest of Frank H. Caven, select councilman of the Thirty-fourth ward. He is charged with being interested in city contracts in violation of his councilmanic oath.

Mayor Weaver startled the bureau of city property and the electrical bureau by ordering the dismissal of sixty-five employees in the former and fourteen in the latter, saving the city nearly $50,000. The mayor also forced the resignation of Samuel Salter as assistant chief clerk in the office of the county commissioners. Salter some years ago after being a fugitive from justice for about a year returned to this city and was acquitted of the charge of stuffing the ballot box. In his resignation Salter said he intended to go into business.

Heart Disease Kills 125.

New York, June 13.—Nervous strain, caused by the excitement of business life in New York, which has, according to physicians, a direct effect upon the heart, was responsible last week for the death of 125 persons. Last year the corresponding week showed a death list from this ailment of only fifty-six. The total death rate last week was 17.73 as against 16.11 of the week before and 16.61 a year ago.

PATRICK MUST DIE.

Conviction Confirmed by New York State Court of Appeals.

FOUGHT HARD FOR HIS LIFE

Sentenced In January, 1902, For Alleged Murder of Aged Millionaire William M. Rice, Lawyer Delayed His Execution Three Years.

Albany, N. Y., June 9.—The court of appeals by a divided court, voting four to three, sustained the lower courts in adjudging Albert T. Patrick, the New York lawyer, guilty of murder, first degree, in causing the death of William Marsh Rice, an aged millionaire, formerly a resident of Texas. On April 7, 1902, Patrick was convicted on an indictment charging him with the murder of Rice by choloroform and mercury, administered to him during his sickness on Sept. 23, 1900. The case

ALBERT T. PATRICK.

reached the court of appeals on March 14 of this year, when David B. Hill, who appeared for the appellant, based his argument for a reversal mainly on the contention that the condition of Rice's body revealed by the postmortem examination might have been caused by fluids used in embalming.

The prevailing opinion is by Judge Gray, with whom concur Judges Bartlett, Haight and Werner. There is a dissenting opinion by Judge O'Brien, Chief Judge Cullen and Judge Vann concurring, Chief Judge Cullen filing also a memorandum.

The accused was a New York lawyer and has succeeded in postponing the ultimate decision of his fate for over three years by a display of acumen and resourcefulness that has excited the wonder of the members of the bar and the public at large. The opinion of the court, written by Judge Gray, is very exhaustive, reviewing the formidable record in every detail and containing upward of 16,000 words.

The conviction of Patrick was mainly due to the confession of his alleged accomplice, Charles F. Jones, who testified that Patrick, who hoped to profit by Rice's will, induced him to administer chloroform to the aged millionaire. Jones was released from custody as a reward for his confession.

Included in the charges against Patrick were accusations that he had forged Rice's name to checks of large amounts. The trial was one of the most sensational in the history of New York, with hordes of expert witnesses on the stand for both sides.

PATRICK'S FIGHT FOR LIFE.

Ex-Senator Hill Not Discouraged by Court's Refusal of Stay.

Albany, N. Y., June 13.—The court of appeals refused to grant a stay of execution of the death sentence to permit a motion for reargument in the case of Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of the millionaire William M. Rice. The court will adjourn on Friday until Oct. 2 next, and papers on the motion could not be prepared within a few days. The court will fix the date of execution before its adjournment.

Former United States Senator David B. Hill will prepare to make the motion for reargument on the day the court reconvenes in October.

In order to stay the execution of Patrick until the motion can be made two courses are open to him—he may make an application to an individual judge of the court to issue an order staying the execution or he may make application to the governor of the state for a reprieve. The action of the judge granting the stay or of the governor granting the reprieve would postpone the execution until after the motion for a reargument had been made to and determined by the court. Senator Hill has not decided which course he will pursue.

MAY HAVE WOMAN PRESIDENT

Justice Brewer, at Vassar, Predicts Feminine Rule at Washington.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 13.—David J. Brewer, associate justice of the United States supreme court, delivered the Phi Beta Kappa address at Vassar college, making references to woman suffrage which aroused great applause. Justice Brewer said in part:

"Do not give yourselves entirely to the enjoyment of literature, leaving the republic to take care of itself. You owe to your country the duty of serving it with all the advantages of your education, for who shall say that within the next decade the suffrage shall not be extended to men and women as it has already been in many of the states; who shall say that before gray hair shall come to your heads a woman like Queen Victoria shall not sit in the White House to glorify this nation as Victoria glorified England?"

ON DEAD HUSBAND'S TRAIL.

Mrs. Leonidas Hubbard Seeks Mystery of Explorer's Fatal Journey.

New York, June 13.—Two expeditions, distinct from each other and the members of one unaware of the other's efforts, have gone into the wild interior of Labrador, the first to explore the unknown parts of the land, the second to learn the exact conditions under which Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., the daring young explorer, died there in October, 1903. Mrs. Hubbard, widow of the explorer, is in personal charge of the latter expedition, while Dillon Wallace, companion of her husband on his last journey, heads the former.

Mrs. Hubbard and Wallace, formerly mutually interested in exploration, have been estranged since Hubbard's death because of certain statements made by Wallace in his book about the ill fated expedition.

Mrs. Hubbard has gained a point over Wallace by securing the famous guide, George Elson, the half breed, who led the first party. When Mr. Wallace announced his intention of tempting the wilds again he made a special trip to the interior of Canada to secure Elson. Elson refused, giving his marriage as a reason.

It now appears that Elson had a prearrangement with Mrs. Hubbard at the same time. What this means no one will say.

Mrs. Hubbard is a cultured woman, fond of outdoor pleasures. She accompanied her husband on his first trip as far as Rigolette in 1903, then returned to St. John's to stay until he should return.

Bull Charges Gospel Wagon.

Philadelphia, June 13.—Hudson Gregory, a negro evangelist, with his wife and some more evangelists, sallied out in their gospel wagon called "Fort of Goodness." There is an organ in the wagon, and Hudson plays the banjo as an accompaniment. Down Ridge avenue came a big red bull led by a little boy. "Hey, there!" shouted the boy to the evangelists, "stop that music. The bull is nervous." The evangelists paid no heed, but sang at the top of their voices "Hold the Fort." The bull went head down for the gospel wagon. He struck it full tilt, and Hudson, who was standing, went over the side with his banjo. The horse went off like a rocket, and the organ took a header out the back.

Cat Tolled the Church Bell.

Peru, Ind., June 13.—William Baker's big maltese cat created much excitement when it tolled the bell of the Wesleyan Methodist church on Flax hill. Little Willie, as the cat is called, likes sparrows and went hunting in the belfry of the little church. A sparrow must have been in the bell to start with, and when the cat made a jump for it the bell tolled. The swinging of the rope then attracted the attention of the cat, and the animal jumped on and off it several times. The bell rang clearly, and the people living by peered through their windows to see what was happening.

The Texas Sunk Again.

Fort Monroe, Va., June 13.—Admiral Dickins' fleet took advantage of the unfavorable weather conditions and attacked the fortifications at Fort Monroe at 2:15 a. m. The attack lasted until shortly after 3 o'clock. The rapid fire guns on board the vessels of the fleet were used, and the batteries on shore made a lively response. The Texas, Hartford and Hornet attempted to run by the forts at 2:21 a. m., but the firing from the batteries put them out of commission.

Fitzsimmons-Schreck Fight Off.

Salt Lake City, Utah, June 13.—The fight arranged for July 3 in this city between Robert Fitzsimmons and Mike Schreck probably will not take place The promoters have failed to deposit their $2,000 forfeit in Chicago, and Fitzsimmons, who came in from his training quarters, has declared the fight off. He says he will leave the city at once for the east.

Chinese Boycott of American Goods.

Tientsin, June 13.—The boycotting of American goods by the Chinese guilds is daily assuming more serious proportions. The guilds have quietly determined to carry the boycott through and the aspect for American manufacturers is rather gloomy. The native newspapers are refusing advertisements of American goods.

Greene-Gaynor Appeal Allowed.

Montreal, June 13.—Judge Hall granted the petition of counsel for Gaynor and Greene to be allowed to appeal to the supreme court against the decision of Justice Davidson that Judge Lafontaine had the right to act as extradition commissioner. This action will undoubtedly cause a delay of six months.

To Fight Beef Trust.

Sterling, Ill., June 13.—The Farmers' Packing company has been organized with $1,500,000 capital to compete with the Chicago packers. The corporation is composed of farmers, stock raisers and retail dealers.

Baron Fejervary Hungary Premier.

Vienna, June 13.—General Baron Fejervary was received in audience by Emperor Francis Joseph and was appointed Hungarian premier in succession to Count Stephen Tisza.

Silver Pesos For Panama.

Panama, June 13.—The government of Panama in accordance with the desires of the canal commission and the local bankers has decided to coin 1,000,000 silver pesos.

Jap Wins St. Louis Arts Medal.

St. Louis, June 13.—Kotaro Date, a Japanese student, was awarded the Wayman Crow medal for 1905 at the St. Louis School of Fine Arts.

Death of Archduke Joseph.

Vienna, June 13.—Archduke Joseph of Austria is dead. He was born in 1833.

NORWAY HOISTS FLAG

Ceremonial Dissolution of the Ancient Union With Sweden.

NEW NATIONAL SALUTE FIRED

Spectacular Formality Marks the Substitution of the Norwegian Tricolor For the Banner of the Scandinavian Confederation on Fort Akershus.

Christiania, Norway, June 9.—The Norwegian tricolor was hoisted over Akershus fort and throughout the country in place of the union flag. The substitution was attended by great ceremony at the fort, where the members of the storthing were assembled and 30,000 of the public witnessed the event from points of vantage. The garrison was paraded in front of the quarters of the commandant of the fort, and the commandant read the resolution of the storthing dissolving the union with Sweden.

As the clock in the tower of the fort chimed the union flag which had floated there since 1814, was hauled down, the troops presented arms, the band played the patriotic air "Sons of Norway," and, after only a momentary interim, the first gun of a national salute boomed, the new flag was broken out and the troops again presented arms. The people then uncovered and cheered wildly, the band adding to the general enthusiasm by playing the popular air "Yes, We Love This Country."

First one and then another took up the words of the song until the whole crowd joined in, after which round after round of cheering again greeted the flag. Three cheers were next given for the fatherland, and the singing of the national anthem concluded the ceremony.

SWEDES EXCITED.

King Oscar Will Call a Special Meeting of the Riksdag.

Stockholm, Sweden, June 9.—Crown Prince Gustave on his return from Berlin was met by the royal family, the ministers and a large crowd of people, who cheered him enthusiastically. The city is decorated with flags.

King Oscar decided at a meeting of the council of state to summon the riksdag for an extraordinary session June 30. The crown prince was present at the sitting which had before it the resolution of the Norwegian storthing, which the premier denounced as revolutionary.

"By this revolutionary proceeding," said the premier, "the storthing has not only without the co-operation of the king, but without the least consideration of Sweden and on its own authority, determined upon the rupture of the union which existed by virtue of a mutual convention drawn up in accordance with the laws and which can in no way be broken without the assent of the two countries. Inasmuch as the resolution of the storthing is a great and profound violation of the rights of Sweden, it is indisputably necessary that the riksdag should be summoned in extraordinary session without delay to deliberate on the measures to be taken by Sweden in view of what has passed."

The resignations of the ministers of Sweden and Norway at Copenhagen, Rome and Madrid were tendered by telegraph and accepted.

Takes Half Million Volt Shock.

Lynn, Mass., June 8.—To demonstrate how little danger there is in electrical force when properly handled, Professor Elihu Thomson of this city permitted over a half million volts to pass through his body without displaying the slightest tremor or experiencing the slightest physical discomfort from the test. The demonstration was made for the benefit of the members of the Commercial club of Boston. Professor Thomson adjusted a special apparatus to his body, and a high frequency current was used. Suddenly there was a flash from his finger tips, and great sparks flew into the air, illuminating two incandescent lights that were held two feet from the fingers.

Jean de Reszke Out of Opera.

New York, June 8.—M. Jean de Reszke will never again be heard in opera in New York. This was the rather unpleasant news brought by Alexander Lambert, a well known musician of this city, who has just returned from Europe. M. de Reszke says he is so devoted to the work of teaching others to sing and enjoys his home life in Paris so much that he will never be induced to leave it and endure the discomforts and fatigue of an operatic season in New York, glad as he would be to sing to the American public again.

Weds at Age of Ninety-eight.

Prescott, Mich., June 11.—The latest matrimonial event of interest to occur here is the marriage of George Sinton of Logan township to Miss Maud J. Love. The feature of the affair is that the wedding occurred on the ninety-eighth birthday anniversary of the groom, while the bride is a winsom schoolma'am of only thirty-five summers, who has saved the bulk of her salary for teaching school the past sixteen years.

Alleged Registration Frauds.

Cambridge, Mass., June 11.—Alleged wholesale election registration frauds in this city are the basis of indictments which have been returned by the Middlesex county grand jury against fifteen men prominent here in civic politics. The alleged offense was that of falsely swearing to knowledge that candidates for registration had lived in the city since May.

Our want ads bring buyers and sellers together.

GROVER.

Mrs. Dell DaRhone, of Bradford, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe White.

Miss Kate Owens has returned from New York and Philadelphia, where she has been visiting.

Mrs. Bert White, of Canton, visited friends here Friday.

Charles Schambacker, son of Albert Schambacker, fell and broke one of the bones in his arm Tuesday.

Merrick Crandle and his grandson, Merrick Wright, went to Springfield Friday, returning Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Eastgate are in Elmira.

Miss Jessie Jones of Canton, was in Grover last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Innes of Bodents, were the guests of Mrs. Lillian Rockwell over Sunday.

Children's day exercises were held at the United Evangelical church Sunday evening by the members of the Sunday school assisted by the choir. A large congregation attended the exercises testifying to the interest taken in the doings of the children. A collection was taken up at the close for the enefit of Home missions.

C. E. Vermilya and Constable Charles Smith of Chemung, took a fishing excursion Thursday and Friday. They report good fishing.

Mrs. Geo. Beers of Elmira, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dallas Owens.

GRANVILLE CENTRE.

Wickham Bailey, wife and son, went last Saturday to Elmira to visit Mrs. Bailey's parents.

Raymond Selleck, who has been suffering for some time with Sywavitis, was reported better a week ago Sunday, but on Monday was worse and taken to the Williamsport hospital, where he is in a serious condition.

Ezra Bailey, the oldest grand army man of this place, is under the doctor's care and has been for several months.

Crows are making sad havoc with corn in this section, having about destroyed several pieces on the hills.

Wolf and McKay will finish their job of sawing for Innes & May this week and move to Robert Saxton's.

Charles Saxton of Washington, D. C., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Saxton, and his sister, Mrs. Raymond Selleck.

LEONA.

The Ladies' Aid society held at Mrs. Mary Ely's netted $4; the next one at Mrs. Err Ballard's on Wednesday, June 22.

Miss Alice Crediford of Springfield, spent Monday and Tuesday with her friends in Leona.

Claude Guthrie and family of Bentley Creek, are spending the week at B. S. Guthrie's.

Mrs. Z. Y. Bailey spent the first of the week in Elmira.

Miss Mary Ross of Bourne, and Mable Ross of Burlington, were visitors at Elmer Ross's on Saturday and Sunday last.

Mrs. Ella Griffith returned from the Williamsport hospital on Thursday last, much improved.

Err Ballard was in Elmira on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Miss Dewey spent the past week at her home in Bentley Creek.

E. J. Kennedy is treating his house to a new coat of paint.

SAYLES.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holford visited friends at South Burlington last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Boyce and daughters, Lottie and Pearl, visited their daughter, Mrs. Glen Bailey, at LeRoy, Sunday.

TThe Ladies' Aid society of Fairview took dinner on Thursday with Mrs. Martha Brown; proceeds $2.60.

Mrs. Cordia Kellogg and grandson, Harold Vroman, of Burlington, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Waltman,

WINDHAM SUMMIT.

While Samuel Walker was working on the road last Wednesday he was accidentally kicked by one of his horses on the leg below the knee. Luckily no bones were broken.

Henry Walker succeeded in slaying eight young foxes. The old ones had been making havoc in the poultry yards in the vicinity.

Now is the time to remove old stump fences and other things that cause snow to pile up in the roads. After Uncle Sam furnishes a mail carrier, surely people ought to be interested in securing roads that can be traveled at all times.

That Beautiful Gloss

comes from the varnish in Devoe's Varnish Floor Paint; costs 5 cents more a quart though. Sold by Dr. H. C. Porter & Son.

Three spectres that threaten baby's life. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry never fails to conquer them.

Your house painted with Lucas Paints (Tinted Gloss) will hold its color, brightness and gloss for many years. The paint doesn't fade, streak, blister, or crack, like some paints do.

Any paint will look well at first, but none looks well so long as *Lucas Paints.*

Ask your dealer.

John Lucas & Co
Philadelphia

SOUTH HILL.

Born on June 11 to Mr. and Mrs. George Burchard, a son.

Mrs. Morgan Trumble and little child, accompanied by Mrs. H. M. Browning, made a trip to the Packer hospital last Saturday to consult Dr. Ott in regard to the child.

The hospital auxilary meeting held at the home of Mrs. Grace Allis was largely attended, the day being spent in making towels for the hospital. The next meeting will be with Mrs. James Newell for dinner, the date of which will be given later.

Children's day will be observed in the near future.

The Aid society of this place will celebrate the Fourth in H. J. Buttles's grove. Plenty to eat for everyybody and a good time guaranteed for all, all for the sum of ten cents. A program of singing will be given, and there will be a swing for the children. Ice cream will be served with other refreshments.

LAUREL HILL.

Burt Wright and Miss Mattie Wright went to Lockwood on Saturday to see their aunt, Mrs. Partridge, who was hurt in a runaway. They report her as gaining as fast as can be expected but she cannot use either arm and is quite helpless although she can walk about.

Miss Mae Kline has been visiting Helen Keeler at Barton.

The large house of William and Charles Vansickle was entirely destroyed by fire on Tuesday night of last week with nearly all its contents. The fire caught from the chimney and the flames spread so rapidly that only a very few things could be saved. As the neighbors were nearly all at the grange help was scarce. We understand there was $1300 insurance on the house and goods which will partly cover the loss.

The grangers are making preparations for a picnic on July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. James Partridge of Corning, spent part of last week at L. J. Havens's.

Miss May Breece is home for a visit.

NORTH ORWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cummings came last Friday from Columbus, O., to visit J. O. Alger's family. Mrs. Cummings will spend the Summer at her childhood's home.

Donald Alger is sick with the measles.

Mrs. Jennie Tyrrell Camp of Oklahoma, is visiting her friends and relatives in Pennsylvania after an absence of 31 years.

Leslie Tyrrell and sister Florence attended the Sunday school convention at South Hill last week.

Miss Jennie Moore is spending a few weeks at Silver Lake.

Miss Mary Moore is soon expected home from Greeley, Col., for a vacation.

MYERSBURG.

Mrs. R. C. Davis is seriously ill.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church met Wednesday with Mrs. William Sill.

Mr. and Mrs. Will London of Sayre, are visiting friends here and at Rome.

Miss Vivian Reynolds is home from Sayre, where she has been attending school.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

WINCHESTER

RIFLE AND PISTOL CARTRIDGES

Winchester Rifle and Pistol Cartridges of all calibers are loaded by machinery which sizes the shells, supplies the exact quantity of powder, and seats the bullets properly. By using first-class materials and this up-to-date system of loading, the reputation of Winchester Cartridges for accuracy, reliability and excellence is maintained. They cost no more than inferior makes. Ask for them, and insist upon getting them.

THEY SHOOT WHERE YOU HOLD

Happenings in the County

Gathered by Special Correspondents In Many Towns

EAST TROY.

Miss Mary Park of Columbia X Roads, was home to attend the Park reunion.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. W. H. S. Loller, at the parsonage, for tea, Wednesday, June 14.

The social last Saturday evening for the benefit of the Sunday school was a great success; proceeds were $10.10.

Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Churchill of LeRoy, were over Sunday guests of their son Elmer, and daughter, Mrs. A. W. Park.

Saturday evening, June 24, the M. E. Aid society will serve ice cream and cake on the lawn at Elmer Churchill's. George Greenough will be present with his phonograph and all who attend will have a pleasant time, as Mr. Greenough has one of the best machines.

The F. B. Sunday school will hold the Children's day exercises on Saturday evening, June 17.

Rev. L. A. Roberts, wife and son, attended the yearly meeting at Wellsboro the past week; they came home Saturday.

The Methodist Children's day exercises were held Sunday evening and were very good; the church was nicely decorated by the young ladies who showed good taste and skill in the arrangement.

Mrs. J. A. Calkins and Mrs. W. W. Brooks were at Troy, Sunday, calling on Mrs. Albert Newell, who is very ill.

George Levern, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Carr, is reported very ill.

East Troy claims the distinction of being represented in the Tioga Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, by Mrs. Howard Cole, who, by presenting authentic reports to the proper authorities, has recently been found eligible to membership in this historic association. Mrs. Cole, nee Miss Nellie L. Allen, daughter of Darwin N. Allen, has the honor of claiming four links, four of her ancestors having served in the War of the Revolution. One of these, her great-grandfather, Nathaniel Allen, was the first settler in Troy township about the year 1800, his original home having been in Long Island. He was one of the first County commissioners of Bradford County, which was then a part of Lycoming county, being elected to this office in 1815, and he has also served here as the first Justice of the peace. His remains are interred in the East Troy cemetery, which plot of land was donated by him. Mrs. Cole is in Athens this week attending a colonial tea given by the society on Wednesday evening in the Spalding mesuem-library. She will be attired in an antique costume appropriate to the occasion, the fan and bonnet being over a century old.

NEW ALBANY.

Miss Ida Billings has been visiting friends in Towanda and Athens for the past two weeks.

Miss Harriet Brown spent the past week in Binghamton.

The ladies of the Overton Social club will hold a festival at the Macabee hall at Overton on the evening of June 27.

John Corbin has been visiting friends in Binghamton for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sturdevant of Millview have been visiting the home of their daughter, Mrs. F. A. Caster.

Miss Jessie Caster is attending school in Towanda.

Lawson Baldwin and wife have returned from a visit with relatives in Forksville.

Boyd Wilcox is in Williamsport for a few days.

Miss Jean Kenyon has returned to her home after spending some time in town.

Harry Wilcox of Dushore, has a position in The Mirror office.

GILLETTS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Passmore have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Charity, to S. G McKee of St. Louis on June 27.

Children's day will be observed in the Baptist church Sunday, June 18.

There will be an ice cream social at Dewey's hall Friday night, June 16 to raise money to repair the side walks.

County Superintendent Putnam examined a class of 12 here las Wednesday and Thursday; only four passed in all the branches.

Furious Fighting.

"For seven years," writes Geo. W Hoffman, of Harper, Wash., "I had a bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won and cured my disease, by the use of Electric Bitters. I unhesitatingly recommend them to all, and don't intend in the future to be without them in the house. They are certainly a wonderful medicine, to have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold, under guarantee to do the same for you by Turner, the druggist, at 50c a bottle. Try them today.

SOUTH WARREN.

D. F. Elsworth and wife visited at R. F. Jones's Sunday.

Mr. Clink of LeRaysville, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Virgil Hendricks.

Mrs. E. M. Angle visited relatives at LeRaysville Friday.

The social to be held at E. M Angle's June 21 will be for dinner instead of supper, as given out last week.

EAST SMITHFIELD.

Misses Grace and Agnes Wood accompanied their brother, Galen, to Ithaca last Thursday, where they visited the museum and other college buildings. Miss Grace is in Towanda this week attending the teachers' class

Mrs. John Bird and Mrs. Mary D. B. Phelps, who has been stopping at Mrs. Bird's, visited in Athens last week.

Miss Grace Bird returned from New Albany Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bird spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pierce are visiting their daughter in New Jersey.

Mrs. Tompkinson has returned from Elmira.

Little Eda French is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Rev. Mr. Percy of Wayne county, spoke in the Baptist church and will occupy the pulpit next Sunday.

Several prayer meetings are appointed in different neighborhoods for this week. These meetings are being held to quicken a spiritual interest preparatory to evangelistic meetings to be held in the Methodist church.

The Disciple church is again left without a pastor. Rev. William Van-Duser, who has served for six months, has gone to Newberry, Pa., to hold tent meetings. As his services were desired in that place before Sunday, his wife gave the farewell sermon Sunday morning. Though a young woman, not quite out of her teens, her discourse showed spirituality and ability. She has endeared herself to the congregation, all of which wish her God-speed in her efforts to bring souls to Christ. She expects to begin work at Newberry Monday evening.

Rufus Child is adding a large veranda to his house.

Dr. Phelps returned last week from Philadelphia having taken Miss Marietta Mitchell to the city for treatment for her eyes.

WEST WARREN.

There were no services at the church Sunday as Rev. Hugh Jones could not attend.

Miss Naomi Rogers is attending school at Towanda.

Mrs. J. E. McKee of Towanda, is spending some time with her friend, Mrs. J. S. Rogers.

A. P. Chaffee of this place, owns a hen that is worth keeping. He brought an egg to the store last week that measured 8⅜ inches one way and 6¾ the other, weighing 4¼ ounces.

Quite a serious accident occurred at the creamery here last Wednesday. Theron Ruussell, who works there caught his clothing on the churn shaft. Fortunately Mr. Sibly stopped the machinery quick enough so that he escaped with a severely sprained ankle.

Mrs. Randolph Beardsley and Belle Rogers of Warrenham, visited at Mrs. Harriet Rogers's Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold a social at the church this week Thursday evening.

LIBERTY CORNERS.

The Womens Foreign Missionary society and W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. J. W. Acla on Friday for dinner.

G. L. Kerrick and family of Durell, spent Sunday at Charles Scott's.

Children's day exercises will be held in the church Sunday evening, June 18.

Leonard Irvine of Sayre, spent the fore part of the week at Mrs. J. W. Irvine's.

The Epworth League will hold an ice cream social on the church lawn Friday evening, June 23, all are invited.

Sick Wives and Daughters.

You have often seen them with pale faces, poor appetite, head and back ache, symptoms comon to the sex. Fathers and mothers, lose no time in securing Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It will cost only one dollar and is much cheaper than sickness. Write to Dr. David Kennedy's Sons, Rondout, N. Y., for a free sample bottle.

WINDHAM.

Nelson Loomis, who has been sick for a long time, had a stroke of paralysis on Thursday and is very low with no hope for recovery.

Mrs. James Wheaton has been sewing for Miss Crispen of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Davis.

Children's day exercises will be held on Sunday, June 18.

WESAUKING.

Mrs. N. H. Drake is no beter.

Mrs. Maria Conklin had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow last week.

Floyde Drake has commpleted his course of study at the S. C. I.

Miss Sara Bull of Sayre, is home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Bull.

BLACK.

Solomon Chaffee is dangerously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bull and children of Towner Hill, visited friends here on Sunday.

Miss Anna Dewing of LeRaysville, visited on Saturday and Sunday at S. G. Barner's.

The Children's day exercises held at this place on Sunday evening were very largely attended.

The young ladies of this place are preparing a drill to be given in the church on July 3.

Lost? Find it with a small ad.

WELLS.

Mr. and Mrs. Tompkins, who live in the Semer Baterson house, last Monday buried their infant son at Checkerville.

Miss Ruth Lewis of Michigan, is on a visit to her uncle, J. B. Lewis, at Mosherville.

Ellison Wickham left here last week for an indefinate visit to his son, Richard R. Wickham, at Madison, S. D. Mr. Wickham, Sr., arrived there safe last Thursday.

Mrs. S. H. Ingersoll has returned from a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. J. A. Dunham, at Walla Walla, Wash.

Oldroyd Brothers, masons, have completed a job of masonry work for Rev. Mr. Ferguson at Rowley Hill, and are now building the foundation walls for Reuben Faulkner's barns.

Prof. D. H. Aird of Gillett, has been engaged by the Wells school board to teach the next term in the Wells high school at a $5 per month increase in his salary over last year.

Bert Polk, a prominent young man here who runs a threshing machine in its season and the engine to a saw mill at other times, had two fingers cut completely off from one hand at a saw mill at Bird Creek one day last week. Mr. Polk had lost part of the same hand by a buzz saw a few years ago and now his hand will be almost helpless. Dr. S. M. Seafuse dressed the hand and Mr. Polk is at present a great suffer.

Miss Mary Welsh of Bulkhead and Miss Mabel Wells of Gillett, Miss Gernert of Columia Cross Roads and Miss Dillon of Troy, were among the successful aspirants at teachers' examination a couple of days last week at Gillett. There were about twelve in the class.

A very prety home wedding was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Brown, when their youngest daughter, Miss Etha E. was united in marriage to Samuel R. Argyle, by the Rev. William A. Grover, at eight o'clock last Thursday evening. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and a beautiful evergreen arch was erected in the parlor where the bridal couple stood. They were atended by LeRoy Brown, a brother of the bride, and Miss Lena Hakes, of Mosherville. At precisely eight o'clock the bridal party appeared while Miss Anna Parsons as organist, and Fred Knapp as violinist, played the Lohengrin wedding march. The bride was handsomely gowned in blue silk and carried a bouquet of choice flowers. Over one hundred invited guests witnessed the ceremony and partook of the sumptuous wedding feast. Mr and Mr. Arygle were the recipients of a very large display of beautiful and costly presents. The fortunate groom is from Keuka, N. Y., and is an ex-soldier, having served Uncle Sam an enlisted term in the Philippines and is a worthy young man, highly spoken of by all of his acquaintances. The charming bride is an estimable young woman, a fine musician and has also taught several successful terms of school hereabouts. Mr. and Mrs. Argyle left for an extended wedding trip to New York, Albany, Syracuse, Buffalo, Auburn, and Niagara Falls.

GLOSSER.

Godfrey Eikler and his mother spent a part of last week with friends in New York state.

Mrs. Fred Heavener visited her brother, George Stevens, at South Waverly, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Frederick spent Sunday at Mit Smith's.

Riley VanCise returned to his home home at Sheshequin Saturday, after a week's stay with his son James.

Mr. and Mrs. Berne Arnold spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark.

Mrs. Campell Keir is spending this week with her brother, Leslie Marshall, at Towner Hill.

Mrs. James Bidlack of South Waverly spent the past week with her son John and family.

LADDSBURG.

A. T. Swingle went on Tuesday to West Virginia on business to be gone two weeks.

Miss Hannah M. Waltman and Miss Susan F. Williams visited at Nordmont and Sonestown recently.

Miss Rosetta Cummiskey has returned from a stay of three months in Wilkesbarre.

James Covey and family have moved on James Miller's farm and are keeping house for him.

Edward Farrell returned on Tuesday of last week from Syracuse, where he was called by the illness of his sister, Mrs. Miles.

Miss Hannah Waltman is spending some time at Towanda, and after a visit to reltives in Athens will go to Amherst, Mass., to remain some time.

WEST OVERTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Eiklor of Pleasant Valley, visited this week at F. S. Cahill's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell of Canisteo, have moved on the farm with his brother Bert.

The whistle of the Little Lumber Co.'s new saw mill was heard this week.

Eli Chilson smashed his finger quite badly one day last week.

WARRENHAM.

Geo. Dewing made a business trip to Owego Tuesday.

Mrs. Ralph Beardslee and Mrs. Nathan Young called on Mrs. Leo. Connell Thursday to see the new baby.

At the annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church, Geo. Dewing, Nathan Young and Wesley Bowen were elected trustees.

Mrs. R. L. Beardslee and Miss Bel'e Rogers spent Sunday at West Warren.

FRANKLINDALE.

Rev. Rose C. Allen of Evergreen, occupied the pulpit of the Christian church, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrton Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rockwell, of Towanda, visited Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. John Williams's.

Children's Day exercises were held Sunday evening at the Christian church.

Mrs. Peter Compton and son Loran, visited at Sayre last week.

About 70 of the P. O. S. of A. boys and their families met last week Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams. Ice cream and cake were served.

Sam Lantz is working in the bark woks at Cold Spring.

Mrs. W. L. Lantz of this place boasts of 41 varieties of roses in her garden.

The C. E. prayer meeting next Sunday evening will be held by Alson Lantz.

Mrs. Gertie Strait of Addison, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Smith.

Miss Mary McClure of Lamoka, is visiting at Alson Lantz's.

Leigh Borden and S. K. Williams were trout fishing on the Schraeder last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen VanGorder of Towanda, were visiting at E. L. Johnson's one day last week.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

RUMMERFIELD.

Mrs. Ellsworth and son from Tunkhannock, visited her daughter, Mrs. John Fisher, last week.

Miss Alma Johnson of Towanda, visited friends here over Sunday.

Asa Huff of Spring Hill, was visiting here last week.

Mrs. Wm. Vanness visited her sister, Mrs. Barker, on Lime Hill on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ennis and daughter Helen visited at Steve Proof's on Sunday.

Mrs. McCrossin entertained for tea on Saturday Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Clagget, Mrs. Landmesser, Mrs. Boyle and the Misses Boyle and Morey.

M. H. Vanness was renewing old acquaintances at Wysox on Saturday.

Children's day exercises at the M. E. church on June 25, at 2:30.

Mrs. Milton Vanness visited Mrs. Lawrence Vanness at Wysox on Saturday.

Mrs. Hendershot visited in Towanda on Sunday.

TERRYTOWN.

Carrie and Lulu Terry spent Saturday in Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. Werkwire and daughter Olive, of Elmira, were visiting C. L. Humphrey's last week.

Mrs. DeVoe and daughter Bess of Camptown, are guests of Mrs. J. E. Dodge.

Mrs. J. H. Mann and son spent Wednesday with Mrs. Olive Cole.

Mrs. Shubal Proof has just returned from a visit with friends in Athens and Elmira.

Miss Mary Horton and Anna Albert drove to their homes here Sunday from Towanda.

J. B. Pitcher of Wyalusing spent Wednesday with his sister, Mrs. C. L. Humphrey.

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to $1.00 with Devoe's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weighs 3 to 8 ozs. more to the pint than others, wears longer and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold by Dr. H. C. Porter & Son.

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young—terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure; Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

THE MARKETS.

The Market Reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week. For Towanda, the quotations on Groceries and Provisions are furnished by M. J. Long; on Hay, Straw and Grain by the Susquehanna Valley Hay Co. The Troy markets are reported by F. H. Hovey, and the General Markets are from the Produce and Live Stock Exchanges.

Towanda Provision Market.

	PAYING	SELLING.
BUTTER	17c to c	
EGGS	16c to c	
CHEESE		16
LARD		11 a 12c
BEESWAX	22 a	
BEANS	$1.80 a $2.25	
CORN	60c to 65c	
OATS	37c to 40c	
CORN MEAL		$1.25 a 1.45
FEED		$1.20 a 1.35
FLOUR, per sack		$1.40 a 1.70
POTATOES	to c	

Towanda Hay and Grain Market.

LOOSE HAY—No. 1, $8; No. 2, $6; clover mixed, $5.

BALED HAY—No. 1, $10; No. 2, $6 a $8.

STRAW—Loose Long rye, $10; loose short rye, $5, loose oat, $4; baled short rye, $10to$11; baled oat straw $6to$7.

Troy Markets.

	PAYING
BUTTER, fresh tubs	23c to c
EGGS	16c
BEESWAX	a 22c
OATS, per bushel	38 a 40c
POTATOES, per bushel	25 to 30
BUTTER, prints	23c 24c

General Markets.

New York, June 13.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, per pound, 19½a19¾c. (Mercantile Exchange official quotation, extras, 19½c.); firsts, 18½a19c.; seconds, 17½a18c.; state dairy, tubs, extras, 19c.; firsts, 18a18¼c.; seconds, 16½a17½c.; thirds, 15½a16c.

CHEESE—New, state, full cream, small, white and colored, fine, 9¼c.; fair to choice, 8½a9c.; large, colored and white, fine, 9¼c.; light skims, choice, 7a7¼c.; part skims, prime, 6a6¼c.; good, 4¾a5c.; common to fair, 3½a4c.; full skims, 1a2c.

EGGS—State, Pennsylvania and nearby, selected, white, fancy, 20a21c.; choice, 19a19½c.; mixed, extra, 19c.; firsts, 17½a18c.; dirties, 12a14½c.; checks, 11a13c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Broilers, Philadelphia, 3 to 4 pounds to pair, per pound, 35a40c.; Pennsylvania, 30a35c.; western dry picked, 28a30c.; scalded, 25a26c.; southern scalded, 20a23c.; fowls, dry picked and scalded, medium size, 13c.; heavyweights, 12½c.; poor to fair, 10a12c.; old cocks, per pound, 9½c.; ducks, spring, Long Island and eastern, per pound, 18c.; Pennsylvania, 16a18c.; squabs, prime, large, white, per dozen, $2.50a2.75; mixed, $2.12a 2.25; dark, $1.50a1.62.

Republican County Convention.

Will be held June 15th, 1905, Primaries Saturday June 10th, Rules governing the Primary elections and names of Vigilance Committees.

Headquarters of the Republican Standing Committee of Bradford County.
Towanda, Pa., May 23, 1905.

Pursuant to the rules of the Republican Party of Bradford County, there will be a Convention of the Republican Voters of Bradford County at Hale's Opera House, in Towanda, on Thursday, June 15th, 1905, at one o'clock P. M. for the purpose of nominating the following candidates to be voted for at the election to be held November 7th, 1905, viz: One person for sheriff, one person for Prothonotary, one person for Register & Recorder, one person for County Treasurer, two persons for County Commissioner, and two persons for County Auditor, and to take such action as the Convention may see proper in reference to abrogating Rule 31 and also of changes in any other Rules recommended by a Committee appointed by the Chairman of the Convention held June 16th, 1904, and to transact such other business as may be properly brought before said Convention.

The primary election to elect delegates to the said county convention and to vote instructions to the delegates of the Republican county convention will be held on Saturday, June 10, 1905 at the usual place and time of holding the same or at such other place and time as the vigilance committee in each district shall designate.

The primary election shall be conducted by a judge and two inspectors, who shall be chosen by the voters present at the hour fixed for the opening of the polls, and shall serve during such meeting.

The judge of the primary election shall be elected by a viva voce vote publicly taken, or by division of the house, if called for, and shall conduct the election of the two inspectors.

The vigilance committee of their respective districts will give notice of the time and place of holding the said primary election, blanks and tickets for which will be furnished by the chairman.

The chairman calls attention to the method of holding the primaries, as laid down in the rules governing the same, especially sections 14, 16 and 23.

The election board, as soon as the polls are closed, shall proceed to count the votes polled for delegates, and the instructions for the candidates, and after publicly announcing the result thereof, shall certify the same under their hands, on blanks to be furnished by the chairman of the county committee, and deliver the certificate to the delegates so elected, who shall deliver the same, together with any protest which any elector may file, to the chairman of the county committee, no late than 1 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at Towanda, Pa.

The following are the names of the candidates who have complied with the rules of the Republican party of Bradford county and whose names will apper on the official ballot.

For Sheriff.

JOHN W. CODDING, Towanda Twp.
GEORGE M. GILBERT, Franklin Twp.
NATHAN V. WELLER, Athens.

For Prothonotary.

FRANK PIKE, Sayre Borough.

For Register and Recorder.

CHARLES P. DEWEY, South Creek Twp.
JAMES T. McCOLLOM, Troy Borough.
G. M. HOFFMAN, Terry Twp.

For County Treasurer.

W. F. WATERS, Athens.
HARTLEY M. PRINCE, North Towanda Twp.
THEODORE PIERCE, Canton Borough.

For Commissioner.

EDSON D. HARKNESS, Springfield
L. H. MARSH, Wyalusing Boro.
H. H. BENTLEY, Towanda Boro.

For Auditors.

ALDEN KEYES, Sylvania Boro.
WILBUR GORHAM, Orwell Twp.
W. A. SMITH, Sayre Boro.
H. EUGENE LANDON, Canton Boro.

J. ROY LILLEY, Chairman.
W. J. McCABE, Secretary.

Members of the Vigilance Committees and Number of Delegates to be Elected.

1 Alba Boro.—Mell Northrup.
3 Albany Twp.—J. T. Hested. W. H. Layman, A. H. Terry.
1 Armenia—Frank Allen.
2 Asylum—A. L. Thomas. F. N. Kerrick, Paul Dailey.
4 Athens Boro., 1st ward—N. V. Weller, A. E. Bressler, Frank Little.
3 Athens Boro., 2nd Ward—T. S. Newman, David Keefe, G. F. Macafee.
3 Athens Boro., 3rd ward—H. C. Stoner, C. J. Vandervelde, Henry Saphar.
2 Athens Boro., 4th ward.
1 Athens Twp., 1st Dist.—Frank S. Morley. C. S. Page, Levi Ward.
1 Athens Twp., 2nd Dist.—M. E. Knight. T. O. Lindsley, Clarence Doty.
2 Athens Twp., 3d Dist.—James Mustart. Will B. Campbell, Fred Donlan.
1 Athens Twp., 4th Dist.—George D. McIntyre, Utley Teed, Fred Ellsbree.
2 Blarclay—C. L. Fellows.
1 Burlington Boro.—Dean W. Hill. T. F. Lent, J. Scott Pultz.
3 Burlington Twp.—E. A. Knapp.
2 Burlington West—L. M. Platt. A. T. Whitehead, H. C. Dickenson.
5 Canton Boro.—H. E. Griffin.
4 Canton Twp., 1st Dist.—T. S. Hickok. Eugene Landon.
1 Canton Twp., 2nd Dist.—Glenn Williams. J. R. Wright, G. D. Witherbee.
1 Columbia Twp., 1st D.—F. B. Watkins. W. D. Canfield, Geo. Bradford.
2 Columbia Twp., 2nd D.—F. R. Strong. John Wolf, W. J. Vickers.
1 Franklin—A. T. Morse, H. L. Crandell, A. L. Crandell.
4 Granville—Frank Ayers. Fred Jennings, Fred Saxton.
2 Herrick—W. L. Fuller. M. E. Overpeck, R. W. McPherson.
2 LeRaysville—S. B. Canfield. C. A. Carter, B. O. Codding.
3 LeRoy—A. T. Lilley. Ernest Holcomb, Thomas Mott.
2 Litchfield—J. E. McKinney. J. K. Munn, Allen Rogers.
2 Monroe Boro.—G. W. Kilmer. D. L. Miller, E. F. Young.
2 Monroe Twp., 1st Dist.—E. W. Stevens. Roy C. Kellog.
2 Monroe Twp., 2nd Dist.—O. B. Farr. E. B. Gilbert, A. V. Watkins.
2 New Albany Boro.—L. F. Marcey.
3 Orwell—F. E. Lott. A. H. Daugherty, W. J. Hill.
1 Overton—A. J. Bird. H. H. Houseknecht, William Bird.
2 Pike Twp., 1st Dist.—E. J. Atwood. F. G. Rose, C. J. Ford.
2 Pike Twp., 2nd Dist.—P. C. Fassett. Seymore Canfield, A. G. Stephens.
3 Ridgebury—William Baldwin. John A. McKee, Burt Leonard.
1 Rome Boro.—H. H. Coleman. T. B. Barnes, C. H. Stone.
3 Rome Twp—Leslie Merrill. W. S. Barnes, J. H. Gillette.
4 Sayre Boro., 1st ward—M. H. Sawtelle, Thomas Maney, George Roberts.
4 Sayre boro., 2nd ward—E. J. Connelly. Charles E. Wolf, Frank Pike.
2 Sayre Boro., 3d Ward—Robert W. Mathews. John Pritchard, John Young.
5 Sayre Boro., 4th Ward—Spencer Brougham. George D. Bonfoy, John D. Brainard.
4 Sheshequin—F. M. Vought. Isaac M. Thompson, S. B. Bidlack.
4 Smithfield—D. G. Smith. O. B. Summers, Floyd Tracy.
2 South Creek—A. H. Dean. Isaac Kiersted, I. J. Mahaffee.
2 South Waverly—Lee Northrup. Geo. English, John Quick.
3 Springfield—W. H. Boughton.
1 Standing Stone—Oscar Sage, N. W. Stephens, Fred Sage.
1 Sylvania Boro.—Frank H. Luckey A. G. Cameron, G. H. Gustin.
3 Terry—G. M. Hoffman. B. R. Terry, George F. Horton.
3 Towanda Boro., 1st Ward—O. L. Smiley.
4 Towanda Boro., 2nd W.—Ed. Carter, Jr., Ernest Frost, W. G. Schrier.
5 Towanda Boro., 3d W.—F. R. Prince. Frances Johnson, C. S. Rogers.
3 Towanda Twp.—Lester L. Pierce. Frank H. Hagerman, Scott S. Watson.
2 Towanda North—G. H. Grange. Hartley Prince, U. M. Sluyter.
4 Troy Boro.—H. K. Mitchell. H. M. Spalding, R. A. Burr.
2 Troy Twp—1st Dist.—James Mahood. John Hunt, F. M. Scott.
2 Troy Twp., 2nd Dist.—W. W. Brooks. J. A. Calkins, U. M. Verbeck.
2 Tuscarora Twp., Eastern D.—W. A. Bennett. George Lacey, Harry Clapper.
1 Tuscarora Twp., Western D.—Samuel Culver. A. B. Christian, Mason Browning.
3 Ulster, 1st Dist.—Robert Dixon. O. J. VanWinkle, James H. Howie.
1 Ulster, 2nd Dist.—Clyde Anthony. George W. Chamberlain, Jacob Vannoy.
3 Warren—D. A. Sleeper.
2 Wells—J. B. Lewis.
3 Wilmot—William Dull. Daniel Ely, L. M. Bahr.
2 Windham—Clyde Schneider.
2 Wyalusing Boro.—E. A. Strong. Oscar F. Brown, J. B. Lewis.
2 Wyalusing Twp., 1st D.—J. L. Ellsworth. Alton S. Taylor, W. B. Dean.
2 Wyalusing Twp., 2nd. D.—Bruce David. G. N. Atwood, Frank Beaman.
2 Wysox Twp., 1st D.—Louis Piollet. B. J. Post, O. S. Overton.
1 Wysox Twp., 2nd Dist.—Bird Shores.

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, Theodore J. Burnett of Towanda, Bradford County, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court at Scranton, in said District on the 22d day of June 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

EDWARD R. W. SEARLE, Clerk.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Mary E. Bowen, deceased, late of Warren township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

CORDIS M. CHAFFEE, Executor.
Lestershire, N. Y., May 9, 1905.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Nelson Dunn, deceased, late of Burlington Township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement

N. D. SPENCER, Executor.
May 16, 1905. s22jun*

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Helen Lindley, deceased, late of Towanda Borough, Bradford Co., Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WM. P. WILSON, Administrator.
May 23, 1905.

Application for Charter.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Friday the 23d day of June, A. D. 1905, by D. T. Evans, Jos. G. Pratt and Benj. Kuykendall, Jr., under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "Railroad Telegraph and Telephone Company," the character and object of which is erecting, constructing, maintaining operating, purchasing and leasing lines of telegraph and telephone for the private use of individuals, firms, corporations, municipal and otherwise for general business and for police, fire alarm and message business, the operation of telephone exchanges and the furnishing of facilities of communication by means of the transmission of electricity over or through wires and doing a general telephone and telegraph business by such means and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

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ORPHANS COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Bradford County, Pa., the undersigned, administrator of the estate of E. W. Morgan, will expose to public sale on the premises, on

Saturday, July 8, 1905,

Commencing at 11 a. m. the following described property:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Burlington, said County and State, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

On the north by lands of Helen Brown, formerly land of Mrs. Wright; on the east by the Berwick Turnpike; on the south by lands of Evan Lewis estate, formerly land of L. S. Wright; on the west by lands of —— Dickerman formerly A. McKean estate. Containing about one acre of land be the same more or less, with dwelling house and fruit trees thereon, being the same land conveyed to E. W. Morgan and Permilla Morgan his wife by deed dated Sept. 26, 1903, and recorded in Deed Book 254, page 8. Permilla Morgan died Dec. 17, 1903, intestate, leaving to survive her her husband, E. W. Morgan above stated.

Whereupon the Court granted the prayer of the petitioner and an inquest was awarded. That at an Orphans' Court held at Towanda, in and for said County and State on the 8th day of May the following decree of the Court was made:

Sur rule upon the parties in interest, in the above estate, to accept or refuse to take property at the valuation put upon it by the inquest or show cause why the said real estate should not be sold in case said parties should neglect or refuse to take the same at the valuation aforesaid.

And now, May 8, 1905, it appearing to the Court that due notice of the above rule was given to all parties in interest, to wit: D. W. Lane, assignee of G. L. Morgan; Jennie M. Pierce, minor child of —— Pierce; Floyd A. Murray, Jessie A. Murray and Arthur J. Murray, minor children of Jane M. Murray, upon their guardian ad litem, W. J. Young of Towanda, Pa., upon Newton Morgan, at 766 Spalding St., Elmira, N. Y., by registered letter, which was received by him, who are all the parties interested in the original petition, and the said parties not appearing in answer to said rule, and no cause being shown against the same.

It is on motion of J. N. Califf, pro petitioner, ordered and decreed, that D. W. Lane, Administrator of E. W. Morgan, deceased, expose the said real estate, to public sale on the premises, and that he sell the same, subject to the confirmation of the Court, upon the following terms, to wit: Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money to be paid when the property is struck down, and the balance of the purchase money to be paid upon the confirmation of the sale by the Court, and the execution and delivery by said executor of the deed thereof. Bond in the sum of $1500 to be given by the Administrator. Notice of said sale to be given as required by Act of Assembly. By the Court,

A. C. FANNING, P. J.
D. W. LANE,
Administrator of the Estate of E. W. Morgan.
June 11, 1905.—3t.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Fred L. Bailey, deceased, late of Springfield Township Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

R. ELMER SMITH, Administrator.
June 8, 1905. s20july*

Reporter-Journal Patterns

From the Latest

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For Lady's Girdles by Martha Dean—No. 6290

More and more prevalent grows the appreciation of those dainty little accessories which give such a chic touch to our frocks. These charming little "nothings" are usually so expensive when purchased at the shops that only a favored few may revel in their possession. The making of fancy belts and girdles is not beyond the skill of an average dressmaker, and the ones shown here are very simple in construction, but wonderfully smart when worn. The crushed style may be made of shaded ribbon or silk, and further elaboration may be effected by the use of buttons or rosettes in silk or braid. The other style is quite the newest idea in a fitted girdle and should be made of the same material as the skirt. The idea of suspender suits is not a new one, for the younger members of the family have been wearing them all season. The style is so becoming and so practical that it is being adopted with much eagerness by "grown-ups," who realize that it gives that long, slender line so much desired by every one. Sizes, small, medium, large.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 6290, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

Pattern For a Chic Blouse Made In One Piece by Martha Dean—No. 6311

Embroidered effects are the keynote of this season's styles, and hats, coats, gowns and stocks show the effect of this latest fancy. To be sure, patterns—and many of them strikingly effective—may be bought ready for the dressmaker's scissors, but the girl who has nimble fingers and ideas of her own prefers to purchase the material, have it stamped with a design which appeals to her personally and then introduce her favorite stitches. This greatly reduces the cost of a blouse, is exceedingly simple and really takes but little time, as the mercerized cotton used in such work fills very rapidly. A plain background shows the work to better advantage than a more elaborate model, and the shirt waist illustrated is particularly good for this purpose. A broad box plait, tapering at the waist line, gives shape to the back, while the front has a slight blouse. The box plait may or may not be used, depending on the width of material employed in the construction. As there is no underarm seam, some widths require seaming in the back, and the box plait is then applied to cover the seam. Butchers' linen, crash, pique or lawn are materials which are very popular and well adapted for the pattern illustrated, while the colors should be those likely to stand wear and washing without losing any of their original brilliancy. This pattern is in sizes from 32 to 42 inches bust measure.

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TOWANDA, PA.

Enclosed find.....cents for which send me Pattern as follows:

No. .....Size .....

Name .....

Address .....

DEATH ROLL OF A WEEK

Death of Mrs. Margaret Golden.

Mrs. Margaret Golden died at her home in Ridgebury Friday night the cause being heart disease. Mrs. Golden was 69 years of age and one of the best known and most highly respected residents of the township. She leaves a husband and the following children: Mrs. John Brennan, of Elmira; Daniel Golden, of Fassetts; Mrs. Fred Dildine, of Pittsburgh and Thomas, John, Patrick, James, Margaret and Ellen, of Ridgebury. The funeral was held from the Ridgebury church at ten o'clock Monday morning and interment made in the Catholic cemetery at that place.

Death at Troy.

Reuben W. Johnson died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. O. Ludington, at Troy on Tuesday of last week, aged 72 years. He had been ill for over a year. He was married in 1858 to Miss Melissa L. Roberts of Smithfield and nine children were born to the couple, of whom eight are living. Funeral services were held on Thursday, Rev. Thomas Mitchell assisting in conducting them. He officiated at Mr. Johnson's wedding 47 years ago.

Death of a Ridgebury Lady.

Miss Katherine Chambers died at her home in Ridgebury on Saturday aged 53 years. She was an estimable, christian lady and her death brings sorrow to large circle of friends. She is survived by two brothers, John and Jeremiah, of Ridgebury, and three sisters, Mrs. John O'Brien, of Ridgebury; Mrs. Patrick J. Grace, of Waverly, and Mrs. Vinehart, of Michigan. The funeral was held from the Ridgebury Catholic church Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Harriet Bennett.

Mrs. Harriet Bennett died at the home of her son, Frank Bennett, at Standing Stone Sunday night, aged 68 years. Death was due to heart trouble. Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the house and at 2 at the Standing Stone church. Mrs. Bennett was the widow of Martin Bennet who died about eight years ago.

Died in Colorado.

Thomas Coyle, son of Frank Coyle, died at Leadville, Colorado, recently and his body was brought to his father's home at Laddsburg on Wednesday, June 7. He leaves to survive him his father, three brothers and seven sisters. One sister, Mrs. Sando, died April 3. Funeral services were held at St. Basil's church at Dushore on Thursday morning.

Death of Mrs. Carl Northrup.

Mrs. Carl Northrup died at her home at Sayre Thursday morning, aged 26 years. Death was due to peritonitis. Her maiden name was Edna Northrup and she came to Sayre from Barclay. She is survived by her parents, her husband, one daughter, one brother, Harry Northrup of Sayre, and one sister who resides at Powell.

Death of Mial Watkins.

Mial Watkins, a widely-known resident of Austinville, died at mid-night Tuesday, of this week, aged about 87. His wife survives with one son, Treat Watkins, and three children by a former marriage — Walter and Bert Watkins, and Mrs. David DeForest. The funeral was held Friday at 2 p. m. from the church at Austinville.

Arthur L. Parsons.

Arthur L. Parsons of Ansonia, Conn., 34 years of age, died at the home of his grandfather, Z. Y. Bailey, in Elmira, on Saturday. He is survived by his wife and three children. Parsons was born in Connecticut, but as a young man lived several years at Leona, this county.

Peter VanSickle.

Peter VanSickle, who formerly lived on upper Bridge street near this place, died while on a visit with relatives near Overton on Saturday night. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church in this place Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

POWELL.

Children's day will be observed at the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. James McKay.

Mrs. Moses Walters of Monroeton, was caring for her brother, Benjamin Haythorn, who is very ill, a few days last week.

Mrs. Joseph Brown spent last week at Monroeton caring for her mother.

Ezra Johnson filled the pulpit Sunday in the absence of Rev. L. L. Wilcox at Monroeton.

Mrs. Walter Reynolds of Ralston, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. George Wilcox of Monroeton, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stone of West Franklin, Miss Mabel Bevan of Franklindale, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Harris of Masontown, visited Saturday and Sunday at F. E. Morse's.

Mrs. John Harvey is caring for Mrs. Edna Bruce at Towanda, who is ill with appendicitis.

Mrs. John Mann of Philadelphia, andMrs. Thomas Burns and daughter Lauretta of Harrisburg, spent a couple of days last week with their cousin, Mrs. John Walsh.

Mrs. A. W. Buckley and Miss Nan Caldwell spent several days last week with the former's parents at Athens.

Earl Hall of Cold Springs, spent over Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Charles Sickler of Franklindale, visited over Sunday at Hiram Rockwell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Perry of Laquin visited relatives here last week.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Miss Elizabeth O'Brien of Overton was in Towanda Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Spalding of Columbia, Mo., is a guest at I. P. Spaulding's.

M. M. Corson of New Albany, was was registered at Ochs Hotel Monday.

Mrs. Leet and Mrs. W. P. Miller of Monroeton were in Towanda, Saturday.

Hon. W. D. Morse of Troy, and Hon. R. S. Edmiston of Milan, were in town Monday.

Mrs. Walter Knights of Alba, has been visiting at Fred C. LaMont's in this place.

General and Mrs. Richard Lodor of Mexico are guests of Hon. and Mrs. Mial E. Lilley.

Henry Porter is home from the Swathmore preparatory school for the summer vacation.

Editor F. L. Taylor of the New Albany Mirror, was in town Thursday and stopped at Ochs Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Davies and children of Carlisle are guests at Hon. W. T. Davies's on Second street..

Hon. and Mrs. Thomas Ryan of Washington are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Mary Nobles, at East Towanda.

Mrs. G. L. Chaffee and daughter, Frances Pauline, are visiting Mrs. Chaffee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sage, here.

Mrs. Kaye of Estella, Sullivan county, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Harden, on North Main street.

Mrs.. John A. Craveling of Towanda, attended the Jones-Schillingman wedding at Wilkesbarre on Wednesday evening of last week.

Ira D. Bull of Lake Wesauking is entertaining his son John and Miss Sara Bull of Sayre, who has been attending school at Sayre.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Josie Sage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sage of Towanda, to Frederick W. Barnado of New York city, on May 16.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Stewart are at Atlantic City for a stay. No church services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday although other services will be held as usual.

Mrs. J. K. Mallory and daughter of Rockford, Wash., were Ward House guests June 7. They were on their way to Orwell, where Mrs. Mallory, who was a Miss Gibbs, formerly resided.

Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Woodburn left Monday to attend the commencement exercises at State college, the semi-centennial exercises being celebrated there this year. Dr. Woodburn is a graduate of the institution.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffner of Minneapolis, are guests at the home of James Kirwin on Third street. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffner are on their wedding trip. The groom was born in Troy, this county, and for many years lived in Towanda.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Reed of Wysox, accompanied by Carl V. Patterson of Towanda, are at Philadelphia to attend the commencement at the University of Pennsylvania, where their son Edward graduates in medicine.

BABY'S AWFUL ITCHING ECZEMA

Sores All Over Face and Body — Could Not Tell What She Looked Like — Unable to Sleep — Grew Worse Under Doctors.

CURED BY CUTICURA IN ONE MONTH

A grateful mother, in the following letter, tells of another of those marvelous cures by Cuticura: "When my baby was four months old her skin broke out with a humor. I took her to a doctor, who said it was eczema. He gave me medicine to give her, but she kept getting worse all the time. Her little face and body were so covered with sores and large scales you could not tell what she looked like. No child ever had a worse case. Her face was being eaten away, and even her finger nails fell off Then it itched so she could not sleep, and for many weary nights we could get no rest. At last we got Cuticura Soap and Ointment, first bathing her in warm water with the Soap, and then spreading on the Ointment with soft cloths. I saw a change in a week. The sores began to heal, and she could sleep at night, and in one month she had not one sore on her face or body. Any mother having children with eczema or humors will find a friend in Cuticura Soap and Ointment. (signed) Mrs. Mary Sanders, 709 Spring St., Camden, N. J., Aug. 14, 1904."

The foregoing statement justifies the oft-repeated assertion that Cuticura Soap and Ointment afford instant relief, and permit sleep for baby and rest for tired mothers, and points to a speedy, permanent, and economical cure, when all else fails, in the most torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, and pimply skin, and scalp humors.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston, Sole Props. Send for "How to Cure Baby Humours."

Men's $2 shoes for $1.49 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

SCORES OF THE SHOOT.

Great Interest Being Taken in the Gun Club's Meetings.

The Towanda Gun Club is in a highly progressive condition at the present time and great interest is being taken in the shoots which are held at the fine grounds at East Towanda. At the practice shoot on Thursday there were several events, the scores of which are given below. Hulett M. Turner won the handicap shoot for the club badge at 25 targets which was event No. 4. Mr. Turner, Charles F. Marshall and W. E. Dayton were high men and shot for first place. Turner and Dayton tied on the shoot off, and on the miss and out Turner won. In the handicap event the number of targets broken is given in the first column, the handicap in the second and the total in the third. This is under event 4.

Events	1	2	3		4		5	6	7
Montanye	6	7	5	14	0	14	7	7	8
Marshall	3	3	5	15	10	25	4		
McCabe	7	9	7	20	0	20	5		
Johnson	5	7	6	10	4	14	4		
Childs	5	7	4	16	4	20	4		
Welles, F.	5	7	7	22	0	22	7	5	
Rockwell	8	7	2	16	4	20	7		
Dayton	8	6	8	20	8	28	6		
Gregg	6	4	4	15	6	21	7		
Shiner	4	3		16	8	24			
Welles, F. Jr.	1	5	3	8	12	20			
Shores, G.		4	3	13	8	21	5		
Ward		2	5	19	0	19	8	8	5
Scovell		2	4	12	8	20	6	5	4
Mayer		4	6	8	12	20	5		
Dittrch			7	19	4	23	7		
Kerrick, B.			3				7	5	6
Ruggles			8	14	8	22	3	5	
Rhinebolt			4	13	8	21	7	6	5
Greene				4	10	14			
Turner				14	12	26	6		7
Drake							2	5	2
Smeaton							7	6	
Putnam, S.							2	5	

Events 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7 were ten targets each.

May Be Same Gang.

A telephone message was received here Thursday from Chief of Police Brooks of Waverly stating that a boy had seen a gang of five men at a hobo camp near that place on Tuesday and that the men had masks with them which were lying on the ground. The boy says that he asked the men what they were and they told him what they were used for. The boy's father reported to the police and asked if any burglary had been committed. When Chief Brooks heard of the Camptown burglary he telephoned here. As the Camptown gang is thought to have been composed of five men and they wore masks it may be the same gang that the Waverly boy saw.

A Splendid Record.

Lew Reed Dunfee of Monroeton, first-honor student in junior class at the Buffalo College of Pharmacy this year, is an example of what a bright young man with a good preliminary education and the proper store training can do when he gets to a college of pharmacy. There were ninty-five in the class and Mr. Dunfee's number was 1; his percentage in botany being 100, in microscopy 99, and on all studies (average) 97 4-7. He was an apprentice in the store of F. F. Lomax & Co., Monroeton, Pa., and is less than nineteen years of age. The faculty junior prize of $25 was won by L. R. Dunfee. — Druggists Circular and Chemical Gazette.

Sullivan County Cases.

Wm. L. Woodruff vs Walter B. Gunton. Case tried. Jury render verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $3959.16.

W. W. Jackson, et al, vs Walter B. Gunton. Case on trial. May 31, 1905, jury find for plaintiffs in the above case in the sum of $1404.00.

W. W. Jackson vs Walter B. Gunton. Rule granted to show cause why a new trial should not be granted in above case. Returnable at Sept. term.

Died From Wounds.

Marshall Stryker, of Borie, Potter county, who was shot in the head recently by his stepson, Charles Brewster, has died. Brewster shot Stryker with a shotgun at close range, the victim's lower jaw and much of the flesh of his neck being shot away. Brewster will now have to answer to the charge of murder.

Estelle—Rounds.

Miss Lena Isabel Rounds and Perry Freeman Estelle were married on Tuesday evening of last week at the home of the bride at Sayre by Rev. J. F. Warner. Mr. Estell is the local agent for the General Accident Insurance company of Philadelphia and is formerly from Laceyville.

Gave a Small Judgment.

The arbitrators in the Wells-Johnson case from Pike township gave a judgment of $1.50 in favor of Mr. Wells. This judgment against G. N. Johnson & Son carries with it the costs of the action.

House Burned at Alba.

The house of Theodore Manley at Alba burned to the ground on Saturday night at about midnight. It is reported that nothing was saved. Mr. Manley is a brother of Mrs. A. C. Smith of this place.

Died at Luthers Mills.

Robert Knapp, aged 80 years, died on Saturday at 6 o'clock at his home at Luthers Mills. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Mountain Lake cemetery.

Canton School Board.

The Canton school board organized by the election of the following officers: President, C. D. Derrah; secretary, C. E. Bullock; treasurer, H. L. Clark.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

Sometimes the hair is not properly nourished. It suffers for food, starves. Then it falls out, turns prematurely gray. Ayer's Hair Vigor is a hair food. It feeds, nourishes. The hair stops falling, grows long and heavy, and all dandruff disappears.

"My hair was coming out terribly. I was almost afraid to comb it. But Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly stopped the falling, and also restored the natural color."
MRS. E. G. K. WARD, Landing, N. J.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for Poor Hair

Ladies' $1.75 Shoes for $1.49 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

YOUNG WIDOWS! BEWARE!

Swindling Book Agents Find Them Easy Prey.

A brace of swindlers operating as book agents are reaping a harvest throughout this section of the country. Intelligent young widows are the victims they select. The men represent themselves as agents for a Philadelphia book concern, and their scheme consists in getting a list of intelligent girls who would be likely to accept an opportunity to earn money by honest work. When they get this list the rest is easy. They approach the victim and offer her an agency, at the same time telling her that she has especial requirements for the position. The girl is then induced to part company with a five dollar note as guarantee of good faith. If there are any doubts as to the validity of the agreement a contract is speedily produced in which the book concern agrees to refund the five dollars when the agent has disposed of two books. The swindlers leave town and the deluded girl or young widows have nothing but a worthless contract to show for their money.—Sayre Times.

Good Advice in Rhyme.

If you toot your little tootter and
then lay aside your horn, there's not
a soul in ten short days will know that
you were born.

The man who gathers pumpkins is
the man who plows all day, and the
man who keeps a humping is the man
who makes it pay.

The man who advertises with short
and sudden jerks is the man who
blames the editor because it never
works.

The man who gets the business has
a long and steady pull and keeps his
trade and paper from year to year
quite full. He plans his advertisements in a thoughtful, honest way and
keeps forever at it until he makes it
pay. He has faith in all the future,
can withstand a bankrupt shock and,
like a man of Scripture, has his business on a rock.—Okmulgee Democrat.

Waverly Vocalist Appointed.

Miss Dorelle Snook, of Pennsylvania evenue, has just received notice of her appointment to a very desirable position in Portland, Oregon, and she will leave Waverly about September 1 for the western city. She will be at the head of the vocal department of the school of St. Helen's Hall, which is conducted by the Episcopal order of St. Mary. The position is an enviable one and was obtained by Miss Snook through a competitive examination in which she attained the highest standing among a large number of aspirants for the place.—Waverly Free Press.

Miss Snook has many friends in Towanda who will be greatly pleased to learn of her success.

Township School Officers.

The Towanda township school board met the new town hall on Monday evening and elected the following officers: President, LeRoy Bowman; secretary, B. F. Bowman; treasurer, Buel Chapman. The term and school tax are the same as last year. The following teachers were chosen: Gregg school, Mima Loomis; Visher, Rex Fisher; Scott, Hazel Bowman; Nail Works, Belle Pearsall.

Deaf Mutes at Elmira.

A convention out of the ordinary will be held in this city August 16-19. The Deaf Mutes' Association of the state of New York will hold its annual convention in the city hall of Elmira, the use of the assembly chambers of the building having been granted them on the dates mentioned.—Elmira Gazette.

Making Fine Progress.

D. W. Case, who two years ago, was an employe of the Reporter-Journal an afterwards was editor and publisher of the Troy Gazette, is now editor of a daily and weekly paper published at Wooster, Ohio. Mr. Case has earned his advancement by hard work and is meeting with success in his business interests.

Returned From Abroad.

The Cunarder Lucania from Liverpool arrived in New York on Saturday and among the passengers were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Swift Balcch. Mrs. Balch was before her marriage Miss Eugenia Macfarlane.

Our want ads bring buyers and sellers together.

LACEYVILLE.

Mrs. J. E. French of Brooklyn, is visiting friends in this locality.

F. B. Thomas has made application to the court for apointment as tax collector for the borough of Laceyville.

B. P. Stroh was here last week and installed phones for C. E. Mansell, B. T. Keeney, D. V. France, J. B. Donovan and in the council rooms.

Frank Lacey and Miss Jessie France were married at the home of the bride at Skinners Eddy on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, by Rev. James Rainey of Tunkhannock.

Mrs. F. B. Thomas was calling in Tunkhannock on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Berwick, are visiting their parents here.

Mrs. W. Scott Ford is visiting her son, E. Bruce Ford, in Binghamton.

John Hastings died at his home in this borough at 7 a. m., on Monday. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and interment made in the Lacey street cemetery. Mr. Hastings had been a sufferer for several months with a cancerous growth on his face. He was a Civil war veteran and was 67 years of age.

Mrs. George Scott of Endicott, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Waltman, on Bee street.

The annual tent meeting of the Christian and Missionary Alliance is being held here this week. A large number of workers are present and good attendance at the services, which are at 2:30 and 7:30 daily.

WARREN CENTRE.

W. L. Pitcher is improving.

Mrs. Dr. Tripp went to Philadelphia last week where she expects to spend several weeks visiting friends. Kate Best is keeping house for her.

The miisters' conference and yearly meeting will be held in the Free Baptist church commencing on the evening of June 21, and lasting over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Somers, formerly of Owego, spent a few days last week at Eli Brownson's.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Edgar Fairchilds on June 14.

Children's day was observed at the Baptist church last Sunday evening, and will be observed next Sunday afternoon at the F. B. church..

Mrs. J. P. Chaffee and daughter went to Little Meadows for a visit last Friday, returning on Sunday.

TOWNER.

Miss Ruby Vought is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Vought.

Verne Cass of Orwell, was in this place Thursday looking for wool.

Miss Emma Campbell of Lime Hill, is visiting Misses Lena and Grace Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bixby were visiting friends in Windham on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Eastabrooks of Alfis Hollow, visited relatives in this place on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Simons of Orwell, visited at James Simons's on Sunday.

There will be an ice cream social at Arthur Payne's on Friday evening, June 16, to which everybody is invited.

ORWELL.

Mrs. Fanny Mallory and daughter of Washington, are spending some time with Miss Mary Brown.

Miss Alice Chubbuck is visiting her friends at Rome and Towner.

Mrs. L. A. Brown is visiting friends at Wickizer.

L. E. Beers, with Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Dimon of Jackson Valley, left on Monday for Gettysburg.

A large delegation from here attended the Sunday school association at South Hill on Friday.

Misses Elizabeth Matteson and Bessie Ford are spending the week in Binghamton.

Miss Bessie Knapp has gone to Stevensville to spend the Summer with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Crandall.

MAC.

Raymond Smith spent Saturday in Athens and Sayre.

Mrs. Rachel Hills of Laurel Hill, has been visiting, at S. P. Gustin's a few days the past week.

Miss Katherine Rosengrant of Ulster, called at C. F. Grennell's on Sunday.

Dora Lane returned to Smithfield last Monday after spending two weeks with her parents.

Mrs. C. B. Wheeler and Mrs. Robert Lane went to East Troy recently to see the former's sister, Mrs. Luther, who is sick.

Letter to Hon. M. E. Lilley.

Towanda, Pa.

Dear Sir: We are in partnership with it. Burt, N. Y., has had its paint experience.

Mr. D. Brookins, contractor, bought 18 gallons Devoe for 3 houses; returned 6 gallons.

That shows what it's worth, so far covering goes: a half more than common paint. About half the houses in Burt are painted Devoe; the other half will be, as soon as they need paint.

We want your town the same way, and will serve it same way. Are you ready yourself? Yours truly,

111' F. W. DEVOE & CO.

P. S. Dr. H. C. Porter & Son sell our paint.

GLEN SUMMIT SPRINGS HOTEL WILL OPEN JUNE 2 th.

Announcement is made by Chas. S. Lee, General Passenger Agent of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, that the Glen Summit Springs Hotel will, as above stated open on June 24th. It will be under the management of Mr. J. H. Murdick, the same as last year. Under Mr. Murdick's management the hotel has met with a deserved success, and with the improvements made last year at the hotel, it is now more delightful than ever before. d&w1twtf

SPRINGFIELD.

Rev. Mr. Hughes of Troy, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church next Sabbath.

The Odd Fellows have engaged Rev. Mr. Burrill of Covington, to deliver a memorial address at the Baptist church next Sunday evening, June 18. Everyone will be made welcome.

Dr. John Corey of Geneva, Ill., is visiting friends in this place and vicinity.

Mrs. R. M. Judson is away on a short visit.

Miss Crissie Spalding of Leolyn, Lycoming county, is spending a few days at Sherman Spencer's.

Horatio Gates is dangerously ill.

T. B. Fitch is visiting in Corning.

Cory and Harry Patterson are visiting their sister, Mrs. Charles McKeel, at Athens.

One of Fred Burgess's horses was hurt quite badly on Sunday while in the pasture. Mr. Card of Sylvania, was called and took several stitches in the wound.

Howard Gates was pleasantly surprised by a company of his young friends at his home on Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brenton Parmenter entertained a number of their married friends at a dance last Saturday evening. A very enjoyable time is reported. Among those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. George Murray of Virtus.

LEROY.

David Percival, Sr., is quite sick at his home.

Mrs. John Wooster is somewhat improved.

The social given by the ladies of the Disciple church was well attended and netted them a nice sum.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brouse and Mrs. Joe Holzworth all of Canton, visited in this place the first of last week.

Rev. C. J. Murphy and family returned to their home in this place last Friday and were given a reception in the evening. Light refreshments were served.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve ice cream and strawberries on Saturday evening at the Grange hall.

Carl Packard of Alba, is assisting O. D. VanDyke in the creamery, and Leon McCraney has gone to West Franklin to help Mr. Spencer.

Helen Chapin of West LeRoy, visited her cousins, Lena and Bessie Kelly, last Sunday.

Comfort Ingram will move his sawmill this week on C. E. McCraney's premises for the purpose of sawing lumber for McCraney and Palmer Bros.

RIDGEBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kinner of Elmira, were visitors at Fred Hanlon's on Sunday.

Ayers & Hanlon have sold their saw mill to Frank Campbell of Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. John Balmer of Smithfield, visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy May, on Sunday.

C. W. Hanlon and Cora Maskiell postponed their trip to New York, but expected to start on Tuesday.

A lady by the name of Lattin, who lives at Mr. Armstrong's, was quite badly injured Saturday afternoon by having a barn door fall upon her, breaking two ribs loose and otherwise bruising her. Mr. Armstrong had gone to Elmira, from where he had recently moved, after a load of farm tools, and was run down by a street car on Maple avenue and quite badly shaken up. One horse was quite badly bruised and his goods nearly all broken.

SYLVANIA.

The Ladies' Aid of the Disciple church held a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Canedy on Friday evening.

Miss Alice Evans of Sayre, is visiting her grandfather, John Evans.

The children's day exercises given at the Diciple church on Sunday evening were well rendered and a large audience attended.

Misses Vernia King and Ethel Card visited at Bailey's Corner's a few days this week.

Obi Smith died at his home on June 7, aged 89 years. The funeral was held on Sunday at the Diciple churrch.

LAQUIN.

Mr. Barnes and Mrs. W. P. Miller of Laquin were among the injured in last Saturday's wreck at Longvalley.

The Methodists have broken the ground for their new church which is to be built just east of the school house.

The new resturant and ice cream parlor had their opening last Saturday evening and did a thriving business.

Wednesday next, June 21, is to be a ga'a day with the Baptists. A recognition council is to be held and the corner stone laid. A number of pastors and delegates are expected to be present.

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